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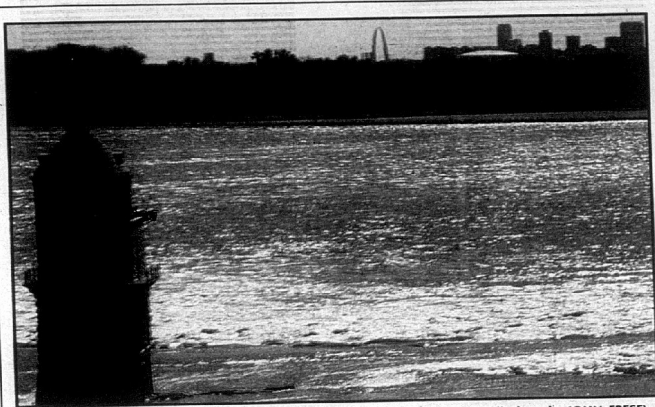
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**Breathtaking** — This view off of the old Chain of Rocks Bridge gives an indication of why a nonprofit group is working to turn the bridge into a tourist attraction. The bridge is one of many area attractions featured in this year's edition of Enjoy Illinois, which is inside today's Journal.

(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

## Fill ordered removed

EPA says Pontoon man is violating federal law

By Michelle Duell  
Staff writer

The EPA has ordered a Pontoon Beach resident allegedly in violation of the Clean Water Act to remove fill from approximately five acres of wetlands on his property.

According to the EPA, the resident, Ron Shafer, has already received two violation and compliance orders from the Corps of Engineers before this most recent EPA order, issued

March 7.

In a copy of the compliance order from the EPA, Dale Bryson, director of the EPA's Water Division, said the Corps of Engineers told Shafer on Dec. 13, 1990, to "cease and desist from further unauthorized activity at the site" after he had used "dump trucks and bulldozers to discharge about 31,500 cubic yards of earth, concrete and other debris into about five acres of wetlands."

(See EPA, Page 7A)

## Man charged with impersonating police

A 20-year-old Wood River man is accused of posing as a police officer in order to get free coffee and endear himself to female employees of a Granite City convenience store.

David Darrell Sorenson, of Carrollwood Drive, was charged with impersonating a police officer in a warrant issued Monday. Bond was set at \$15,000.

Granite City police Chief Dave Ruebhausen said Sorenson admitted to telling employees of Huck's Convenience Store, 2430 Pontoon Road, that he is a police officer and wearing police clothes in the store.

(See CHARGE, Page 5A)

## 'Pay-back time'

Local groups mount effort to help victims of North Dakota floods

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

Three local charities and a local business are organizing an effort to assist victims in flooded areas of North Dakota. Protestant Welfare, The Salvation Army and Catholic Charities are spearheading the project to help residents in flood-ravaged North Dakota, where the Red River spilled over its banks last week.

"We've been there (experienced flooding)," said Denice Wright of Protestant Welfare. "We know what the situation is and we want to help."

"It's pay-back time."

The agencies have arranged for a truck owned by the Lanter Company to be parked in front of Schnuck's, Madison Avenue and Nameoki Road, from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

Lanter has donated the use of the truck and driver, which will transport donated cleaning supplies to North Dakota.

Those wishing to contribute to the effort should bring cleaning supplies such as rubber gloves, brooms, mops, buckets, large trash cans, paper towels, liquid cleaning agents, detergents, dish soap, disinfectants, and diapers, baby care items and snack foods. Ammonia or bleach-based cleaners cannot be transported.

Items may be taken to any of the three agency locations or to the truck on Saturday.

Clothing items will not be accepted for this trip. Last week, the agencies sent a truck full of shoes, clothes and other apparel to the flood zone.

The agencies are seeking volunteers to load

"We've been there (experienced flooding). We know what the situation is and we want to help."

— Denice Wright



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

Volunteers from Chestnut Health Systems load boxes of clothing donated to Protestant Welfare into a truck destined for North Dakota.

the truck or transport donated items from the agencies to the truck.

Anyone interested in helping may call Protestant Welfare at 876-8770 for additional information.

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John Fuller, Meteorologist, KSDK-News Channel 5

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**Journal Night** — Candice Cannon was picked to throw the first pitch prior to Friday's baseball game, on Journal Night at the Ballpark. The St. Louis Cardinals played the Colorado Rockies at Busch Stadium. On hand to offer encouragement to Candice are, from left: John O'Rourke, president and chief executive officer of Alliance BlueCross BlueShield; Tom Rice, president and chief executive officer of Suburban Newspapers of Greater St. Louis; Mark Lamping, president of the St. Louis Cardinals; Candice; and Jerry Cannon, Candice's uncle. The Cannons are from north St. Louis.

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NEWS

# Belle officials not worried over inspection

ALTON — Alton Belle officials said they are not bothered by reports that Illinois gambling boats may have to be sent to New Orleans for up to 12 weeks for safety inspections.

They said company officials are aware of the requirement for inspections and can lease another boat or bring in another Argosy boat as a temporary replacement.

"We usually find something else when things like that occur," said Steve Norton, the investor relations manager for Argosy Gaming Co., the company that owns the Alton Belle.

Some gaming officials are apparently concerned about Coast Guard regulations requiring boat inspections every five years, including removing the boats from the water so their hulls, propellers and rudders can be examined. The only dry docks big enough for most Illinois boats are in New Orleans. That means a trip down the river and back putting boats out of service for six to 12 weeks counting inspection and repair time, according to wire reports.

Moving boats to New Orleans could cause layoffs for employees and big losses for investors.

The Illinois Gaming Board and some boat owners hope to solve the problem with an unusual underwater inspection to be tested in May on the Empress I riverboat in Joliet, the only boat facing the situation this year.

Coast Guard officials from national headquarters in Washington will attend the inspection to determine whether it

meets their standards. If it does, the procedure might be approved for other boats.

The Alton Belle will be due for inspection May 8, 1998 — five years after it first launched in Alton.

Norton said there are plenty of boats available for lease, and Argosy may have a boat available from its own fleet in case the Alton Belle has to be taken to New Orleans for dry docking next year.

"This is not the first time something like this happened," said former Argosy executive Ed Voumard Jr., the city personnel director.

Norton said the original Alton Belle was once taken up the Illinois River to Peoria when the boat there had to be dry docked for inspection.

Norton said Argosy officials are aware of the necessity of inspections every five years and do not consider it a big problem. They say there is plenty of time for Argosy to find a temporary replacement for the Alton Belle if the underwater inspection method is not approved.

Voumard said if the Illinois Legislature passes a measure to allow dockside gaming, which allows gamblers to come and go as they wish, there would be no reason for the inspections and a possible interruption in service.

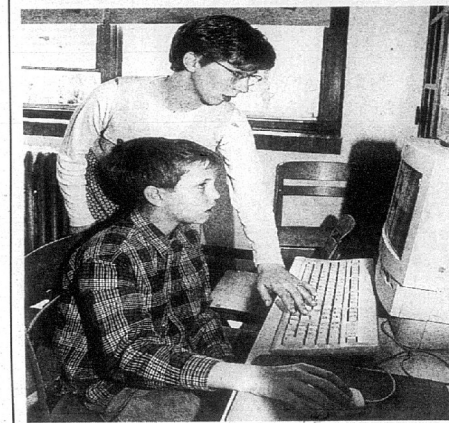
"We could get the board decertified because there would be no need to cruise," he said.

The law could also benefit the gaming industry by making it more competitive. "Illinois needs it in order to compete," he said.

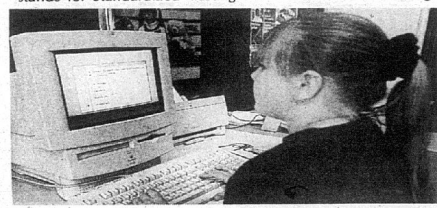
— From the Telegraph



(Staff photos by JOHN FRES)



New library — Local educators, school board members and public officials gathered in the new library room at Marshall School as Principal Virgil Kambarian cut the ribbon during the official opening ceremony last week. From left are: School Board President Ron Stearns, Belleville Area College volunteer Colleen Evanoff, Title One reading aide Jennifer George, Principal Virgil Kambarian, School Board Treasurer Eldin Rea, parent volunteer Margaret Gehling, Title One Director Bob Bischoff and Police Chief David Ruebhausen. At left, George watches as student Andrew Gehling, 10, demonstrates the computerized test for the Accelerated Reader program. Below, Jenna Giffin, a fifth grader at Marshall School, takes a reading-comprehension test called S.T.A.R. on one of the computers in the library as a demonstration. The acronym stands for Standardized Testing of Achievement in Reading.



## Riley to speak at banquet

The Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce will host the 11th annual Law Enforcement Recognition Banquet on Monday, May 12. The event honors officers from the police departments of Granite City, Madison, Pontoon Beach and Venice and members of the Madison County Sheriff's Department and the Illinois State Police serving the area. The banquet also seeks to promote understanding and improve relationships between the public and law enforcement officials.

Judge Paul E. Riley will be the guest speaker at the banquet. Riley lives with his wife, Mary Jean, and four children in his hometown of Alton. He studied law at St. Louis University and was admitted to the Illinois Bar in 1968. He currently serves as U.S. District Court Judge for the Southern District of Illinois.

The banquet, which will be catered by Charlie Hester, will be held at St. Gregory's Armenian Hall. Tickets can be purchased by calling the chamber office at 876-6400.

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# Head 5 on Reside

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

Area residents proposed water voice their opinion hearing on the week.

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# Hearing set for May 5 on water rate hike

Residents get chance to voice opinions

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

Area residents opposing a proposed water rate hike can voice their opinions at a public hearing on the issue next week.

The Illinois Commerce Commission will hold a public hearing at 7 p.m. May 5 on a request by Illinois-American Water Co. to increase rates. The hearing will be conducted in the East St. Louis City Council chambers, 301 River Park Drive.

According to a petition filed with the ICC in January, Illinois-American is seeking \$10.2 million in new revenue — an increase of nearly 16 percent.

Of that amount, about \$9.6 million would be raised in the company's Southern Division. The Southern Division includes Granite City, Belleville, East St. Louis, Alton and the surrounding communities, as well as Cairo and Peoria and their

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surrounding communities. The remaining \$594,187 in new revenue would come from increases in Pekin area.

If the rate hike is approved, most Metro East residents will see a 13 percent increase in their monthly bills — or about a dime a day. The average residential customer would pay \$27.30, according to Illinois-American spokesman Terry Mackin.

Because the water company's operating expenses are relatively flat, the new revenue would be used for capital improvements and profit.

The company has plans to invest \$28.9 million in its

Southern Division in 1997 and 1998, including \$4.2 million in larger mains and \$9.2 million in construction to upgrade treatment facilities in East St. Louis and Granite City.

Under the proposal, commercial customers would see an average rate increase of 15.8 percent, industrial users would pay 7.6 percent more and residential customers 13 percent.

The company is also seeking a \$1 increase in its residential customer charge for service to \$10.50 per month. The water company last sought a rate increase in January 1986. The current rates have been in effect since January 1986.

## Kids' Days at Fort de Chartres

Les Journées Pour les Jeunes Gens, or Kids' Days, will be held this Saturday and Sunday, May 3 and 4, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Fort de Chartres State Historic Site, four miles west of Prairie du Rocher on Illinois 155.

Games and activities from more than 200 years ago will be offered for children of all ages.

Activities include archery, beadwork, yard games, face painting, pottery, rope making, story telling, a puppet show, cookie making, quill pen writing, kites and kite decorating, contest and wild animal displays.

Columbia resident Ed Lekosky will demonstrate a new kind of boat-making from previous years.



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

100 years — Sherman Dickens of Venice celebrated his 100th birthday on April 15 at the Venice Senior Center. Dickens, born in Friar's Point, Miss., has lived in Venice for about 30 years.

## 150 walk to help hungry

Knowing that hunger persists in good weather and bad, some 150 enthusiastic walkers hit the roads at SIUE Sunday, braving a chilly drizzle to raise money for the hungry.

Members of more than a dozen local churches participated in the annual interfaith Church Rural Overseas Program CROP Walk, hiking three, six or nine miles through Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville campus.

"I thought more people would stay home because of the rain," said Charlotte Ferguson of Edwardsville, whose husband, David, organizes the annual walk.

"It was a good day. People seemed to enjoy themselves and that's what is important," she said.

The walk is held yearly in cities across the nation. It was organized several years ago by the Church World Services of the National Council of Churches.

Walkers solicit pledges for their walk with 25 percent of proceeds going to the Glen Ed Food Pantry in Edwardsville.

The remaining 75 percent of money raised will go to Church World Services and its agencies, which help needy people in other countries.

A total of the money raised Sunday will be \$14,000, topping the \$13,200 that CROP walkers raised last year despite the event being canceled because of severe thunderstorms.

A line of patient walkers of all ages registered at the university's Religious Center shortly after 1 p.m., then hit the roads.

When the walkers returned to the domed building, hot coffee, cookies and pretzels welcomed them.

David Ferguson said he began the SIUE walk seven years ago after attending the 1982 World Summit in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

"It's been one of my follow-ups. Poverty is the leading cause of environmental degradation," Ferguson said.

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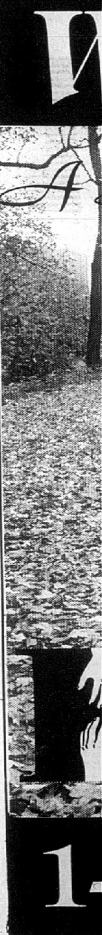
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## NEWS

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## National closing 5 stores

Company also says it plans to sue Schnucks Markets

By Nicole Vaughn  
Staff writer

For the second time in just over a year, the doors at the National store at 1716 Vandalia in Collinsville will be closing. Only this time, they aren't set to reopen.

Family Company of America, owner of the National Markets chain, announced Saturday that the Collinsville store is one of five of its 23 locations that will close next month. The company also will close its stores in Cahokia and Wood River in Illinois, as well as the Crestwood and Florissant stores in Missouri.

Diane Brown of the Geisz Agency, a spokeswoman for Family Company, said the Missouri stores will close May 17, followed by the Illinois stores on May 24.

In a news release, the company alleged that the closures are due to problems with the stores it purchased from Schnuck Markets Inc. last year. The release said that Family Company is preparing a multimillion-dollar lawsuit against Schnuck

"Schnucks has had nothing to do with the failure of Family Company of America to be successful in the marketplace and the idea that they have is ridiculous."

—Marie Casey  
Schnucks spokeswoman

Markets Inc., seeking up to \$50 million in damages.

Family Company alleged "fraudulent breaches" of the takeover agreement reached in March 1996 as well as "anti-competitive acts" by Schnucks.

Schnucks vehemently denied those allegations.

"The claims being made are preposter-

ous and totally unfounded," said Marie A. Casey of Casey Communications, a spokeswoman for Schnuck Markets Inc. "Schnucks has had nothing to do with the failure of Family Company of America to be successful in the marketplace, and the idea that they have is ridiculous."

Because of the potential litigation, Casey said she could not comment further.

In a letter to employees dated April 24, National Chief Executive Officer James R. Gibson cited "terrible conditions" in the stores Family Company took over from Schnucks.

"The stores of empty shelves, bad lighting, dirty conditions, spoiled meat, referrals to other stores and other awful actions seem to go on forever," Gibson stated in the letter. "Unfortunately, Schnucks destroyed these stores to a point that we, as a company, have not been able to overcome these obstacles."

According to Gibson's letter, the company would have to invest "tens of millions of dollars" over at least three years to break even.

## Poets, writers to address club

The Eugene B. Redmond Writers Club and the Soudard Systems Ensemble will present "Fresh and Ancestral: New Creations from the EBR Writers Club" at 9 p.m. Saturday, May 3, in the City Council Chambers of East St. Louis City Hall, 301 River Park Drive (formerly Broadway).

The event is a free family event and is sponsored by the

Department of English Language and Literature at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and the EBR Writers Club.

Speaking at the event will be local and national poets and writers Sherman Fowler, Evon Udoh, Darlene Roy, Anthony Cheesboro, Vicki Hubbard, David Nelson, Mildred Anderson, Edwin Murrow, Madeleine Morningfire Myers, SIUE Associate Anthropology Professor Dallas Browne, Charles Lumpkin, Yvonne Fonteneau and Professor Eugene B. Redmond of the SIUE English faculty.

## •Charge

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A female employee of Huck's reported Sorenson's alleged impersonation of an officer to police last week, according to a police report.

Fore the past month, employees said, Sorenson visited the Huck's at night — usually around midnight — wearing police shirts, badges and hats. Sorenson allegedly carried mace and a police scanner and told "wild stories" of police chases and catching armed and wanted suspects.

One employee told police Sorenson acts like he is talking on the radio, answering calls.

A female employee told police that Sorenson spent hours at a time in the store "protecting" her.

Police recovered a pair of handcuffs, a can of mace and assorted police badges and pins from Sorenson's pickup truck on the Huck's parking lot Sunday morning, according to a police report.

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## NEWS

## OBITUARIES

## Scott, Thomas R.

THOMAS R. SCOTT, 84, of Granite City died at 7:30 a.m. Saturday, April 26, 1997, at Colonnades Nursing Home following a lengthy illness. He was born Nov. 25, 1906, in St. Louis.

Mr. Scott was a retired welder; World War II U.S. Army veteran, who served in the Battle of the Bulge and the Normandy Invasion; and a member of St. Pius X Catholic Church in St. Louis, American



Legion Post 113 and the Chouteau Township Senior Citizens Club.

Survivors include his wife, Delores E. (Rose) Scott, whom he married Aug. 28, 1962; one brother, Vincent Scott of St. Louis; two sisters, Dorothy Laughlin and Genevieve Davis, both of St. Louis; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Charles and Elizabeth (Brodrick) Scott, eight brothers and four sisters.

Services were held Tuesday, April 29, at St. Pius X Catholic Church in St. Louis with the Rev. James Marshall officiating. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, St. Louis.

Memorials are suggested to the American Cancer Society.

Arrangements were handled by

Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City.

**Droege, Hedy A.**  
HEDY A. DROEGE, 87, of Kewanee, Wis., formerly of Granite City, died at 5 a.m. Sunday, April 27, 1997, at Kewanee Health Care Center. Born Oct. 21, 1909, in Madison, she had been a resident of this area for 75 years prior to moving to Wisconsin 12 years ago.

Mrs. Droege, a homemaker, was a member of Atonement Lutheran Church, a lifelong member of Concordia Lutheran Church, a member of the Ladies Aid and an adult adviser to Weller League.

Survivors include two sons, Charles W. Droege of Algoma, Wis., and John Droege of Denmark, Wis.; two brothers, Perry Werner of Granite City and Edward Werner of Pontoon Beach; seven grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles M. Droege, who died Aug. 19, 1980; her parents, Fred E. and Gertrude (Glenville) Werner; one brother, Walter Werner, who died in 1980; and one grandchild, John Todd Droege, who died in 1983.

Gravestone services will be held at 10 a.m. today, Wednesday, at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen

Carbon with the Rev. Michael Hart officiating.

Memorials are suggested to Concordia Lutheran Church, 2305 Grand, Granite City.

Arrangements were handled by Werner Chapel, 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach.

**Da Cunha, Jeanne G.**  
JEANNE G. DA CUNHA, 70, of Granite City, formerly of Madison, died at 10:50 a.m. Saturday, April 26, 1997, at her residence following a five-year illness. Born April 22, 1927, in Bordeaux, France, she resided in this area for 40 years.

Mrs. Da Cunha retired in 1966 after 18 years as owner of Jeanne's French Quarter Tavern in Madison. She was a member of the Granite City Elks and of the Catholic faith.

Survivors include her friend, James E. Wells of Granite City.

No visitation or services were held. The body was cremated.

Memorials are suggested to the Hospice of Madison County or the American Cancer Society.

Arrangements were handled by Davis Funeral Home, 21st and Cleveland, Granite City.

**Tadlock, James F.**  
"Tad" Sr.

JAMES F. "TAD" TADLOCK SR.,

66, of Granite City died at 6:56 p.m. Sunday, April 20, 1997, at Christian Northeast Hospital in St. Louis. He was born Aug. 9, 1928, in Odell.

Mr. Tadlock was owner and operator of Mad Hatter Muffler in Granite City and former owner of Tade Barber Shop and Tade Auto Shop. He was a member of Moose Lodge 272 and a past Governor of the Lodge from 1982-83; Moose Legionaries 101 Southern Illinois since 1986; The 25 Club, Masonic Lodge 877; York Rite Bodies 221; Sir Knight Order of Eastern Star 650; and a lifetime member of the Granite City Low Twelve Club.

Survivors include his wife, Arlene (Broche) Tadlock, whom he married April 2, 1953; two sons, James Tadlock Jr. and Gary Tadlock Sr., both of Granite City; three daughters, Cindy Sadler of Granite City, Paula Ortiz of St. Louis and Rhonda Flander of Vista, Calif.; two brothers, Howie Tadlock of Decatur and Dwayne Tadlock of Bayard, N.M.; two sisters, Enda Rae Requet of Warrenton, Mo., and Eve Bedwell of Henderson, Ark.; 20 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Howard Tadlock and Adele (Conley) Cushman; his brother, Lemery Hayes; and his stepfather, Leonard Cushman.

Services were held Wednesday,

April 23, at Irwin Chapel with Capt. Arnold Hassler officiating. Burial was in St. John Cemetery on Maryville Road.

**Brown, Mildred M.**  
MILDRED M. LEAVEN BROWN, 85, of Trenton died Friday, April 25, 1997. She was born Jan. 27, 1912, in East St. Louis.

Mrs. Brown was a member of the First Baptist Church in Highland.

Survivors include three daughters, Jacquelyn G. Ewing of Ulica, Mich., Jerilyn C. Fennerton of Granite City and Donald G. Brown of Trenton; one sister, Elizabeth Hunt of Highland; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert F. Brown; one grandson; two brothers and two sisters.

Services were held Monday, April 28, at Kasky Mortuary Ltd., 9900 St. Clair, Fairview Heights. Burial will be in Walnut Hill Cemetery, Belleville.

**Erickson, Callie Norfleet**  
CALLIE NORFLEET (LEGATE) ERICKSON, 88, of Edwardsville, formerly of Madison, died at 5:45 p.m. Sunday, April 27, 1997, at Madison County Nursing Home in Edwardsville where she had been a resident for the past six years. Born March 14, 1908, in Indian Mounds, Tenn., she was married in 1928 to Mr. Norfleet prior to moving to Edwardsville.

Mrs. Erickson was a former member of the First Baptist Church of Madison.

Survivors include two sons, Don Erickson of Highland and Jim Erickson of Bonne Terre, Mo.; one daughter, Margaret Clevor of Granite City; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Oscar Erickson, who died Feb. 11, 1981; her parents, Hyman and Elizabeth (Seyton) Legate; and one son, Robert Norfleet.

Services are scheduled for 11 a.m. today, Wednesday, at Thomas Mortuary Chapel, 2201 N. Pontoon Road, with the Rev. Bill Owen, pastor of First Baptist Church of Madison, officiating. Burial will be in Buck Road Cemetery, Maryville.

**Bucks, John W. Sr.**  
JOHN W. BUCKS SR., 56, of Granite City, died at 6 p.m. Tuesday, April 22, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center following a five-year illness. Born Dec. 24, 1940, in Carlinville, he had been a Granite City resident for most of his life.

Mr. Bucks was employed by St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City for four years as a housekeeper. He was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley (Wallace) Bucks, whom he married Nov. 12, 1965; four sons, James, Joseph and John Jr. Bucks, all of Granite City, and Chris Bucks of Collinsville; one brother, Richard Bucks of Granite City; and six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Albert and one sister, Mary Allen, who died in 1982.

Services were held Friday, April 25, at Werner Chapel for Funerals, 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery.

Memorials are suggested to the American Diabetes Association.

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Cacti and succulents make ideal houseplants for many reasons. They're easy to care for, since they don't need watering as much as most other plants. They're beautiful and can live up any area, from the kitchen windowsill to a patio or porch.

Before we go any further, is it one cactus, two cacti? Yep, but two "cactuses" is also correct. Call them what you wish, we happen to prefer cacti.

If you've ever driven through the long, endless brown desert out west, where rain seems to appear about as often as Halley's Comet, you've noticed the cacti are thriving beautifully. That's because they're good at storing water. Plants lose moisture through transpiration, which is much like perspiration in humans. Only in plants, this occurs through their leaves. A cactus has very few leaf surfaces, thus less water loss.

Some people believe a cactus, much like a camel trekking through the desert, never needs water. Not true. Both are very good at storing water, but they also both require it.

There's no complete general guideline as to how often to water a cactus; it depends on the individual plant and its environment. We can offer a rule of thumb or two, though. A cactus growing in a container generally needs more water than one out in the open spaces. The more leaves on the plant, the thirstier it gets. And the thicker the stem, the less water it needs.

The method that you use on other houseplants also works for cactus. Take a wooden stick, such as a thin dowel, and push it into the soil about an inch. If the soil clings to the

stick, all's well. If the stick comes out clean, the soil's dry and the plant needs water. The best way is to water slowly from the bottom up. Set the plant's container in a bucket or tub of water and let the soil soak up the moisture. When the bubbles (air escaping from the soil) stop, you've watered enough.

Sprinkling from above works fine, but spots can sometimes appear on the plant's surface.

Occasional sprinkling can be done, but it's mainly to clean the plant, removing dust. Just don't allow the moisture to remain on the plant's surface any longer than necessary.

As for light requirements, you'd probably expect that cacti like plenty of sunlight, and you're absolutely right.

Like any other plant, disease can prey on the cactus. And prevention is far better than treatment. Generally speaking, the soil should be kept clean, which reduces the chances of diseases forming. And spacing is important, since cacti don't like to be too crowded.

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### Misplaced priorities?

I'm calling in response to the Sound Off titled "Time for Change" in the April 23 issue of the Journal. In response to the Hagnauer Township Hall clock: the person that (called in) seems so concerned with the government giving more money to its own pockets than its welfare recipients, possibly

then instead of pushing so hard for a wall clock, maybe he should push harder for the \$20 to be spent on welfare recipients. That way maybe it won't fall on deaf ears any longer.

### 20 More commercials

I don't understand why the federal government cannot simply tell power companies to cut their rates rather than have them break up and make everybody have to listen to 20 more commercials on 20 different power companies. That's up with the phone companies now.

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## EPA sues Sauget firm

### Ethyl Petroleum called responsible for smell

By Jason White  
Staff writer

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency has filed charges against a Sauget manufacturer for releasing a sulfuric compound that allegedly caused the hospitalizations of six St. Louis residents.

Ed Davis, a representative for the St. Louis Department of Public Safety, said six residents were taken to the hospital because of the compound's smell three on April 15 between 7 p.m. and 9:21 p.m. and three on April 20 between 7:38 p.m. and 10:23 p.m.

No details on the hospitalizations were given. Davis said. The Public Safety Department received a total of 43 calls about the smell, but most of the callers refused or did not require treatment, he said.

Officials at the East St. Louis Health District were not available for comment Friday. "Indications were that (the compound) was not near the level of concentration that would be a health-related concern," IEPA Regional Manager of Air Pollution John Justice said.

However, Justice said the compound can aggravate respiratory conditions like asthma and emphysema.

From April 21-24, the IEPA met with officials at Ethyl Petroleum Additives, a Sauget-based lubricant and fuel additive manufacturer.

Harry Alferink, a plant operations manager at Ethyl, said a leaky valve led to the April 20 release of mercaptan. He did not say if the company will take responsibility for the April 15 release.

According to an Ethyl news release, the odor was a result of the mercaptan not being destroyed during a flaring process. Mercaptan is a sulfuric compound used in natural gas to detect leaks in gas lines.

"Mercaptan odors can be detected at levels a thousand times below concentrations that would cause harmful effects," states the news release.

The Ethyl production process has been shut down until the leak is repaired, the release states.

Plant representatives were not available for comment on Friday.

## •EPA

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Shafer then discharged about 12,600 cubic yards of additional earth into about two additional acres of wetlands on or before Jan. 11, 1991, Bryson said.

After the Corps issued another order on Jan. 22, 1991, to cease and desist unauthorized activity at the site, Shafer discharged at least 3,150 cubic yards of additional earth, asphalt, concrete and other debris into another half acre of wetlands on his property, Bryson said.

The EPA has ordered Shafer to "immediately cease further discharges of fill material into wetland on the site" and to submit a written certification of his intent to comply with

this order. In addition, the EPA has ordered Shafer to submit for EPA approval a "plan to restore the wetlands to their original condition and contours."

Shafer has 30 days to comply, Bryson said. Shafer also received orders from the EPA to start restoring the wetlands within 30 days after the governmental agency approves of the plan.

If Shafer fails to comply, Bryson said, he could be fined up to \$10,000 per day of violation up to a maximum of \$125,000.

"Furthermore," Bryson said, "the EPA may seek criminal sanctions, including fines and imprisonment, for negligent or knowing violations of the Clean Water Act."

Shafer recently was issued a cease and desist order from the Pontoon Beach Village Board of Trustees against his completing a nine-foot-tall con-

crete structure he called a driveway that was approximately 75 feet long.

Shafer later in an appeal to the trustees asked to extend the driveway another 100 feet to his pole barn. The trustees took no action on the request.

In addition to the driveway, Shafer already has a large concrete genealogical rock garden on his property, and he has constructed a 14-foot-tall structure he calls a "trellis" adjacent to his brother's property.

Fred Shafer, his brother, said that according to his calculations after visiting with a concrete company, Ron Shafer has laid "8,480 yards of concrete in the last 15 years."

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The brothers have been feuding over the concrete issue since Ron Shafer began pouring the material, Fred Shafer said.

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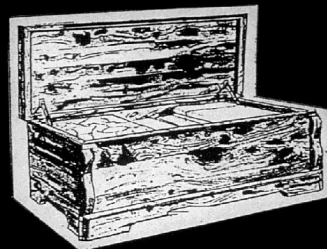
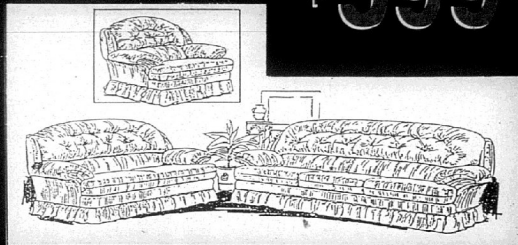
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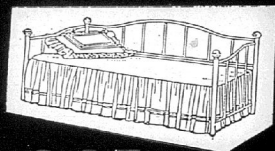
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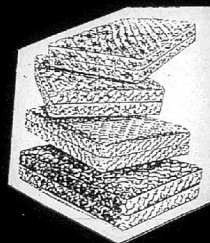


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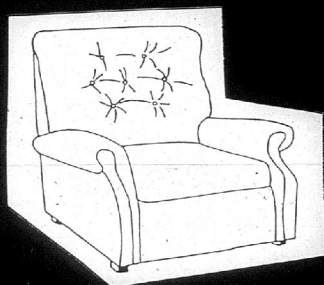
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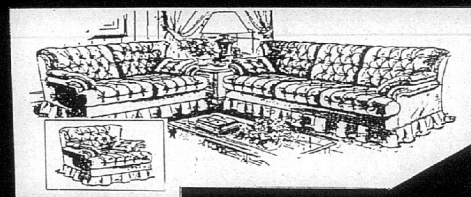
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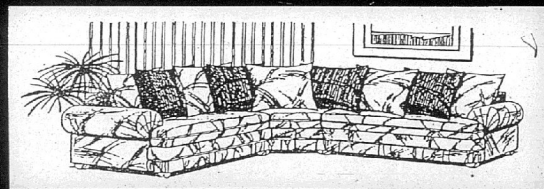


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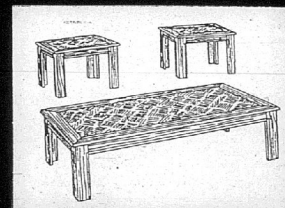


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By Scott Mario  
Staff writer

**B**asketball player Jackson's life is a walk — and pay off.  
Jackson, a 6-foot-6, 200-pound senior at Belleville East, AA Player of the Year, averaged 19.5 points per game for the Lancers. He reached the second round of the state tournament, shot 65 percent from the free throw line.  
"She was average," she got hurt," she referring to a knee injury Jackson for two in some games she got almost the game. She's doing extremely good being able to get she's maybe a little to have to take a "She's been playing the (high school) team and she just camp. She knows and she's doing ballhandling basketball more next year (Bennett)."  
Jackson moved the summer before. "My dad (Randy) which is where I



Janell Mohrme 2 points and 14.5 per game this season she will play volleyball for Central Missouri University next

**Large stars poised**

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## 1996-97 Illinois Journals All-Area Girls Basketball

## Center focus

Jackson, Mohme voted Players of Year

By Scott Marlon  
Staff writer

**B**asketball has been a part of Jessica Jackson's life since she was old enough to walk — and her dedication is starting to pay off.

Jackson, a 6-foot-2 junior center from Belleville East, is the Illinois Journals Class AA Player of the Year. A two-year starter, she averaged 19.5 points and 10 rebounds per game for the Lancers, who had a 26-4 record and reached the sectional final this season. Jackson shot 65 percent from the field and 67 percent from the free throw line.

"She was averaging 25 points a game before she got hurt," said East coach Paul James, referring to a knee injury that sidelined Jackson for two weeks. "Limited playing time in some games dragged her average down, but she got almost three steals and three blocks a game. She's developing into a complete, all-around player."

"She's such an offensive threat; not many people can stop her one-on-one. She's an extremely good passer; she has a knack of being able to get the ball back out. Sometimes she's maybe a little too selfish. She's going to have to take more shots for us next year."

"She's been playing non-stop since the end of the (high school) season. She plays for an AAU team and she just went to a blue-chip all-star camp. She knows what she needs to work on and she's doing it. She's also working on her ballhandling because she'll have to handle the ball more next year in the absence of Natalie (Bennett)."

Jackson moved to Belleville from Freeport the summer before her freshman year.

"My dad (Randy) played at Northwestern, which is where I got my basketball background."

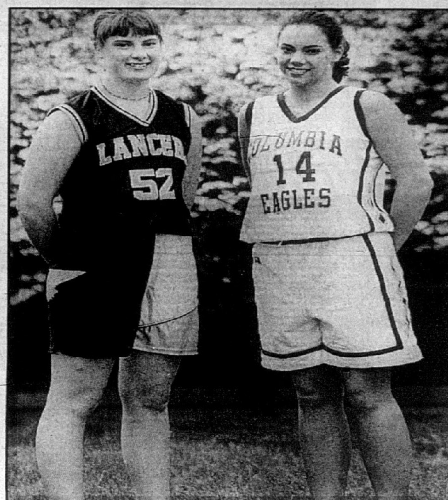


Jessica Jackson came back from a knee injury to average a team-high 19.5 points and 10 rebounds per game this season.

from," she said. "My mom also went to Northwestern."

"After college, my dad got into coaching and

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Belleville East junior Jessica Jackson (left) and Columbia senior Janell Mohme, the area's dominant players at their position this year, are the frontrunners of the Illinois Journals Class AA and A All-Area girls basketball teams.



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Journals All-Area  
Girls BasketballClass AA  
First Team

Player	Yr	Pts
Jessica Jackson, Belleville E.	Jr.	18.3
Meghan Meyers, Edwardsville	Sr.	15.2
Natalie Bennett, Belleville W.	So.	15.0
Natalie Bennett, Belleville E.	Sr.	11.5
Miesha Billups, Cahokia	Jr.	23.6

## Honorable Mention

Player	Yr	Pts
Rita Adams, ESL Lincoln	So.	18.4
Jamie Tyler, O'Fallon	Jr.	14.8
Jenny Rosen, O'Fallon	Sr.	10.6

All statistics from 1996-97 season. All-Area votes were compiled from Metro East area coaches.



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Journals All-Area  
Girls BasketballClass A  
First Team

Player	Yr	Pts
Janell Mohme, Columbia	Sr.	21.2
Lindsay Brefeld, Wosolin	Sr.	19.4
Kim DeMage, Red Bud	Jr.	16.2
Becky Feldmann, Althoff	Sr.	14.2
Allison Randle, Freeburg	So.	17.8

## Honorable Mention

Player	Yr	Pts
Carla Sweet, Gibault	Jr.	14.4
Mandy Uhrhan, Dupu	Sr.	13.0
Kim Corneka, Althoff	Sr.	8.0
Kelly Pfeiffer, Freeburg	Jr.	7.7

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"One thing about Kim is her versatility," Karwowski said. "She handled (the move) beautifully. She held her own pretty well."

Red Bud finished 15-9 overall (See CLASS A, Page 2B)

## Mohme's milestones pace Columbia

By Garen Vartanian  
Staff writer

**J**anell Mohme has truly become a fixture in Columbia High School girls basketball lore.

She is Columbia's record holder in career scoring with 1,470 points. Mohme notched 551 points in 1996-97, a new single-season CHS standard.

Her scoring average of 21.2 points per game was second in the Cahokia Conference behind only Carlyle's Courtney Smith.

The 6-foot-1 center was also a proficient rebounder, grabbing a Lady Eagles-best 1,011 boards in her career. She is one of only 32 girls in Illinois history with more than 1,000 rebounds.

"I'd say it was a good season. It's the best season Columbia's had. I was really glad that my senior year ended the way it did."

— Janell Mohme  
Columbia senior

Mohme grabbed 376 boards this season — shattering her previous high of 304 — and led the Metro East with a 14.5

average. Overall, Mohme holds five of the six updated records compiled for Columbia girls basketball and is second in the other.

Now add another accolade to her impressive resume. Area coaches have voted Mohme the Illinois Journals Class A Player of the Year.

"I guess it just kind of fell into place," Mohme said of the honor. "I did work on it out of school and during the summer. It just fell into place. I'm just glad to get it."

Mohme helped guide the Lady Eagles to a 15-11 record in 1996-97, including a 4-3 league mark and a first-round regional victory.

"I'd say it was a good season. It's the best season

Columbia's had," said Mohme, also a standout for Columbia's volleyball squad. "I was just glad to be on it. I was really glad that my senior year ended the way it did."

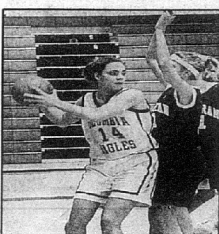
Columbia coach Dale Huwer said Mohme made her teammates feel more confident.

"I think the girls fed off the fact they knew how talented she was," Huwer said. "That we could count on her getting double figures in rebounds every game and double figures in scoring every game. That helped the other girls relax a little bit."

Mohme's tireless offseason work ethic was also paramount to her success.

"Probably what separated

(See MOHME, Page 2B)



Janell Mohme averaged 21.2 points and 14.5 rebounds per game this season, but she will play volleyball at Central Missouri State University next year.

## Large-school stars provide poise, scoring

Other members of the Illinois Journals Class AA All-Area first team, and a summary of each:

**MEGHAN MEYERS**, Edwardsville: Meyers was easily the Tigers' Most Valuable Player this season. The pesky forward averaged 15.2 points, 4.8 rebounds, four assists and 2.7 steals a game in her final prep season.

She dished out a total of 104 assists, which pushed her to No. 2 on Edwardsville's all-time career assists list.

"I think she exceeded my expectations not in the sense of her scoring, but I think in her leadership," Edwardsville coach Bud Vallino said. "She stepped forward and really took command in the sense that many times our games (were) decided by her play. I was very pleased with her effort, her attitude and her team leadership."

Meyers, who lived in the shadows of Carrie Drake a year ago, will follow in Drake's foot-

(See CLASS AA, Page 2B)



Cahokia junior Miesha Billups (left) led the entire Metro East in scoring this season with 23.6 points per game.

## Balanced cast leads small-school squads

Other members of the Illinois Journals Class A All-Area first team, and a summary of each:

**LINDSAY BREFELD**, Weslin: A four-year starter who will play next season at Belleville Area College, the 5-9 Brefeld had more than 1,600 career points to rank third in school history behind Cheryl Thoelke and Kristen Koch. As a senior, she averaged 19.4 points, four rebounds and three assists per game while shooting 46 percent from the field, 47 percent from 3-point range and 78 percent from the free throw line.

"She was our main scorer, but she also distributed the ball," said Weslin coach Andy Lobb. "I think she'll do real well at BAC."

"She has a good attitude — she's the kind of kid you want

in your program. She really got after it last summer and decided she wanted to reach the next level. She worked her tail off."

**KIM DEMAGE**, Red Bud: DeMage, a junior, was the Lady Musketeers' leading scorer (16.2 ppg) and rebounder (7.0 rpg).

Her scoring average was sixth best in the Cahokia Conference.

DeMage also displayed a balanced rebounding touch, corraling 84 offensive and 83 defensive boards.

"That's pretty decent," Red Bud coach Frank Karwowski said. "She is a real solid rebounder. And she was our best defensive player overall."

DeMage, the Lady Musketeers' best leaper, shifted from guard to the post this season.

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# Lady Warriors stain Saints' record

## Stellar 2nd half helps Granite City kickers blank top-rated Kansas team 3-0



Crystal Cavins streaks downfield.

By Patrick C. Heston  
Staff writer

The Saints came marching in — an unblemished 7-0, the top-rated team in Kansas and a sure bet for a high national ranking.

The Saints went marching home — out-coached, out-played and out-scored. Granite City's Lady Warriors humbled Kansas City St. Thomas Aquinas, the only state champion the state of Kansas has ever known, scoring two quick second-half goals on their way to an impressive 3-0 victory before the largest crowd of the season on Saturday night.

Aquinas set a furious pace in the first half, playing end to end and side to side, spreading the field, moving economically and using a superb short passing game to wear down the Lady Warriors. GCHS was

obviously tired the last 12 minutes of the first half, sending a forward down the touch line on three occasions while the closest teammate was still 20 yards behind.

The first half ended in a scoreless tie with neither goal-keeper seriously challenged. The Lady Warriors put four easy shots on goal while the Saints managed only one.

But Granite City opened strong in the second half, taking control of the pace and striking for a pair of early goals.

Roxie Simpson took a direct free kick from 45 yards and sent it right to Jaime Dellbringe, who was beaten by the defender, but slid for the ball and shot in the same motion from 20 yards, blasting it by a stunned goalie.

"That was a half-Mary shot," said Dellbringe. "I just slid. The defender was down, so I just kept going. I slid and I shot, but I didn't see it go in."

"That goal was a planned restart," said GCHS coach Gene Baker. "We exploited their trap. One girl goes through out of midfield, but the forwards don't go, so that nobody's trapped. And you catch it in the switch, in the transition play. That kind of broke the game open."

"It was a perfectly executed dead ball play," said Saints coach Craig Ewing. "They don't come any better than that. We didn't expect it, and we didn't respond well to it."

The goal, at 40:34, gave Granite City a 1-0 lead. Less than three minutes later, Ismaham Mohsen came down the right side, scooped the ball across to a streaking Erika Todd, who slipped between two defenders, lost the ball momentarily, regained it in stride and shot from 15 yards. The ball beat Saints keeper, Jacques Ressut, putting the Lady Warriors up 2-0 at the 43:23 mark.

Ironically, Aquinas had just missed their best chance of the game off a corner kick seconds before the GCHS score.

"That really hurt," said Ewing. "We got countered off our corner kick, and from that point on, we played with only two defenders, hoping to pick up a pair of scores and send it into overtime."

Everything turned on the two dead ball plays," said Baker. "That was the game."

Just for good measure, the Lady Warriors added a third goal at 60:14.

Ismaham Mohsen sent a cross field pass to Michelle Montgomery, who dribbled a short distance and sent it right back to Mohsen in the box,

who found the net from 12 feet. "Izzy had her best game in a couple of years," said Baker. "Not only scoring, but she was making passes. Her sister (Felicia) also played very well, and the Montgomerries were something else tonight."

This was also Shannon Roth's best game. And it was a gutsy performance by Dellbringe, who was feeling very sick tonight. We got a great team effort. Our bench gave us an exceptional effort. It was all quality time. We played a great game."

Ewing had nothing but praise for the Granite City girls. "They simply came out stronger than we did in the second half," he said. "They put the game away in those first four minutes. Teams don't usually get a lot of goals against us. I tip my hat to Granite City for putting three goals in the net. That hasn't happened in more than six years. We were beaten tonight by a truly great team."

"We beat a great team," said Baker, returning the compliment. "They were better than Incarnate Word."

Incarnate Word defeated GCHS 1-0 for the only blemish on the Lady Warriors' record this season.

Granite City (7-1) was once more tough-as-nails defensively, holding Aquinas to

Granite City 3, Kansas City (Kan.) St. Thomas Aquinas 0

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AQUINAS 0 0 0

First Half

No Scoring/Second Half

GC — Jaime Dellbringe (assisted by Roxie Simpson), 40:34

GC — Erika Todd (assisted by Ismaham Mohsen), 43:23

GC — Ismaham Mohsen (assisted by Michelle Montgomery), 60:14

Corner Kicks

GRANITE CITY 1 1 2

AQUINAS 0 2 2

Shots on Goal

GRANITE CITY 4 4 4

AQUINAS 1 30 4

Goalkeepers — Aquinas: Jacques Ressut (7 shots, 5 saves); Ana Mora (47:35, 1 shot, 0 saves); Granite City: Shannon Roth (4 shots, 4 saves).

a pair of corner kicks and to only four shots on goal. Meanwhile, Dellbringe, Ismaham Mohsen and Michelle Montgomery each had two shots on goal. Dellbringe, despite not feeling well and needing to leave the field in the first half, also led the squad with five open field tackles.

The Lady Warriors, who opened play in the St. Dominic Tournament on Monday at 8 p.m., also played Tuesday at 8 p.m. and will play again tomorrow at 4 p.m.

## Classy coaches help net prep coverage



Patrick Heston

With a bevy of postseason all-area basketball honors being handed out by the *Journals*, I thought it was an opportune time to pass on a few honors of my own to some coaches who have made my job as a sportswriter so unbelievably easy.

DWIGHT HOWARD — East St. Louis Senior Howard's Flyers were much better than their record indicated this season. But it was that record and the on-again, off-again performance of his team that made it a frustrating year for the East Side coach. Yet frustrated or not, after a win or after a loss,

Howard always graciously gave me time and was always gracious.

The first time I saw East Side play, the Flyers lost a heart-breaking 65-63 game to visiting Granite City. The loss hurt. And I knew that the last thing Howard probably wanted to do that night was to be verbally probed by a sportswriter. But with great patience, gentleness and kindness, he gave me the time and the interview.

Howard was the same man win or lose, before or after a game, at the gym or in the classroom. He is a true gentleman, and as a man who takes a post-game interview seriously, he is a pleasure to work with.

CLINTON HARRIS — Venice The first on-the-job game I saw was Lincoln Avenue, a game the Red Devils lost by turning the ball over way too many times.

When I asked for an interview after the game, he kindly agreed but asked that I allow him to speak first to his players. Shortly afterward, a player came on to invite me into the dressing room. It was the

first of many such visits, the first of many interviews. Harris is a busy man who takes seriously not only his coaching but also the problems of his players. This was a distracting year for Harris as personal problems forced one player after another to abandon the team. Ultimately, he was left with only eight players. Yet I never heard him whine, complain or make excuses. He went out and did his job, practice after practice, game after game.

Even at the most frustrating times of the season, he always had time for me. He always granted an interview and was always gracious.

AL COLLINS — Madison

The Trojans' coach is a class act whose 1997 team was also a class act. Even through the down months of an otherwise up season, Collins always had a smile on his face, always took the time to spend with me and always listened to as many questions as I felt I needed to ask. If he gave you something an interview, statistics, a return phone call — you always got it. He was dependable as the day is long.

He went out of his way to compliment me if he felt something I had written was worthy of compliment. At no time did he ever say anything negative about what I had written. For that matter, I never once heard him make any negative or derogatory comment toward anyone — toward any opposing coaches or teams, or even a referee. Regardless of the situation, he always had something positive to say.

Collins was a joy to interview and to work with both as a coach and as a person.

JOHN VAN BUSKIRK — Granite City

John was an older coach who had a frustrating season. His Warriors would sometimes play as well as any team in the area (they beat Alton, remember?) and other times played poorly.

This season was a roller-coaster ride for Van Buskirk. And on some of the steep drops, I'm sure he just wanted to get lost and not talk to me. But without fail, he granted me every interview I ever wanted, answered every question I ever asked, and helped me in any way I needed. Even when facing that one thing all coaches hate, being interviewed by phone the day after a game by a sportswriter who had been assigned another game and hadn't seen them play, Van Buskirk was always gracious and understanding, taking the time to give me statistics, a feel for the game, a quote or two and anything else that would help.

Coaches don't come much better or more professional than Van Buskirk. He's the prototype of a sportswriter's ideal coach.

My deepest thanks to all of you. You have been a breath of fresh air in what can sometimes be a stale job. I count you among my friends. And even if you don't count me among yours, thank you for letting me think we're friends.

And finally, a special thanks to GCHS Athletic Director JERRY MCKEEHAN.

If everyone I dealt with throughout the year was as nice as Jerry, as courteous, as encouraging, as gracious and as helpful as Jerry, my job would be a breeze. But, for now at least, my thanks will have to do.

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Mike Ahlvers displays his second place winning art work. Standing with him are his father, Rick Ahlvers, and art instructor, Phyllis Weiss.



Erin Tyler displays her honorable mention art work. Standing with her are her father, the Rev. David Tyler, and art instructor, Phyllis Weiss.

## High school art contest awards \$4,500

Winners of the annual Pasta House Company/Coca Cola high school art contest received a total of \$4,500 for their entries in the "Great Works of Art" high school art contest. Winning students, their parents and art instructors were on hand to accept the prizes at a special luncheon held in their honor recently at The Pasta House Co. South Lindbergh restaurant.

The students entering the contest were instructed to recreate a great work of art and incorporate a plate of pasta in the design.

A panel of seven art professionals selected the winners from 62 entries submitted by high schools throughout the metropolitan St. Louis area. Criteria for judging the contest was based on originality/creativity, execution and commercial value.

Mike Ahlvers, a senior from Granite City High School took

second place in the contest and was awarded \$500. Erin Tyler, also a senior at GCHS, was one of five whose entry received an honorable mention. She was awarded \$100. GCHS received a total of \$600 for the two winners.

"The talent and creativity demonstrated every year is truly amazing," said Kim Tucci, co-owner of The Pasta House Company. "We are extremely pleased to be able to recognize that talent with this art contest, and we thank Coca Cola for its support. This contest is a great opportunity for students to learn about great works of art, exercise their creativity and gain deserved recognition for their efforts."

This is the eighth year the contest has been held. All high schools in the metropolitan St. Louis area are invited to participate each year.



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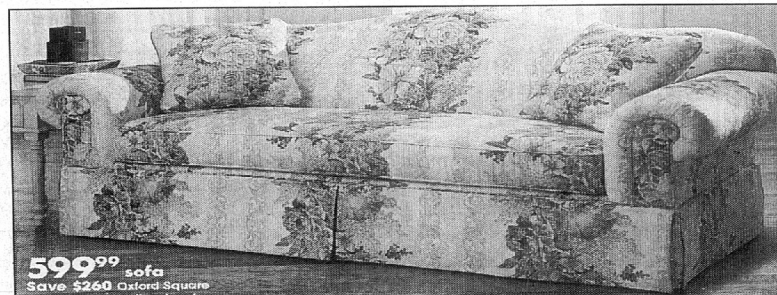


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# NEWS

## BAC announces fall semester graduates

The following is a list of Belleville Area College students who graduated in the 1996 fall semester:

**Edwardsville**  
 High Honors — Hope Blythe  
 Honors — Charles Poettker  
 Graduate — Derek Huber

**Farmington City**  
 Honors — Gerald Brown

**Fairview Heights**  
 High Honors — Lucinda Wagner  
 Honors — Sara Christine, Anna

**Kitchon**  
 Graduate — Charles Belleville  
 Joy Parker, Douglas Schutzhof

**Freeburg**  
 High Honors — Linda Kessler,  
 Jody Talick  
 Honors — Laura Sandheirich

**Graduate** — Cindy Dill, Paul Feurer, Debra Rodriguez, Terri Sittner

**Falls**  
 High Honors — James Earnes  
 Graduate — Charles Hoort  
 Glen Carbon  
 Honors — James Schaefer  
 Granite City  
 High Honors — Charleen Coulter,  
 Leigh Feeney, Jennifer McBride  
 Honors — Kelly Bernaiz, Robyn  
 Brewer, Janet Drennan, Kerl Han-  
 nah, Charles McLean, Julie Morz,  
 Rebecca Thomas, Michael Washen-  
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**Graduate** — Andrea Cline, Brandi  
 Diak, Christopher Harrison, Aaron  
 Jackaladi, Bryan Kromray, April  
 Ortolan, Paul Paetee, Gina Takma-

**High Honors** — Gary Helphen-  
 stine, Thomas Lafferty, Myrna True,  
 Cheryl Wilking  
 Honors — Barbara Bright, Joelle  
 Burch, Denedra Edwards, Valerie  
 Mainridge, Mark Mueller, Jeffrey  
 Reed, Mark Wood

**Graduate** — Elynn Hopkins,  
 Merilee Hopkins, Jerome Houston,  
 Christopher Hurley, Kelly Klem,  
 Christopher Mendola, James Pridle,  
 Carrie Scheibel, Lori Shawgo, Bar-  
 nabas Suggs, Alva Teel, Jeffrey  
 Wacker, Beverly Williams, Elena  
 Ybarra

**Okawville**  
 Honors — James Dungan, Darren  
 Grafton  
 Graduate — Kristina Joest, Chris  
 Schemp

**Pocahontas**  
 Honors — Connie Wells  
 Perfect Grade Point — Dianna  
 Markovich  
 High Honors — Lowell Myers  
 Graduate — Patricia Jones  
 Red Bud  
 High Honors — Keith Weber  
 Honors — Edgar Buch, Bobbi  
 Klinkhardt  
 Graduate — Timothy Buehler,  
 Becky Harsey, Laurie Schnepel



Pictured receiving the check is former Madison County Bar Association president, Joseph Bartylak, executive director of the Land of Lincoln Legal Foundation, and Madison County Bar Association President John J. Hopkins.

## Bar donates \$10,000 to Land of Lincoln group

The Madison County Bar Association recently voted to donate the sum of \$10,000 to the Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation.

"The Bar Association, as the participating attorneys of Madison County, is vitally concerned with the continuation and maintenance of legal assistance to those who cannot afford private counsel," said Madison County Bar Association President John J. Hopkins of Granite City.

"With the recent cutbacks in funding, the need for private assistance becomes even greater. It is our responsibility to try and close the funding gap," he said.

"We are grateful to the members of the Madison County Bar Association for the generosity and will put their donation to good use in the Madison County area," said Executive Director, Joseph Bartylak.

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 • Renaldo Dic and Deborah Hill  
 • Jon Dought and Sarah Miles  
 • Mark Ellerbe and Monica Sutto  
 • Lonnie Goetz and Heather Greer  
 • Heath Greer and Heather Book  
 • John Hall and Ella Ramos, Cat  
 • Kenneth H. Hills, and Lori I  
 • Jack Howar and Judith Detering  
 • William Hur and Dickerson, both  
 • Carl Johnson and both of Collinsville  
 • James Pa and both of Grant  
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# NEWS

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued for the month of March through the Madison County Clerk's office.

- Robert Anderson, Caseyville, and Linda Oliver, Pontoon Beach.
- Gregory Belermann, Bethalto, and Leah McCance, Edwardsville.
- Matthew Brennan and Karen Wildhagen, both of Edwardsville.
- Timothy Converse, Edwardsville, and Susan Hutter, Glen Carbon.
- Jason DeMand, Bethalto, and Nancy Williams, Pontoon Beach.
- Scott Denney, Glen Carbon, and Paula Wilson, Hannibal, Mo.
- Renaldo Dickson Jr., O'Fallon, and Deborah Hill, Venice.
- Jon Dougherty, Collinsville, and Sarah Mikeseil, Granta Pass, Ore.
- Mark Eliebracht, Edwardsville, and Monica Sutton, Alton.
- Donnie Goetter Sr., and Jamie Goetter, both of Collinsville.
- Heath Greer, Collinsville, and Heather Socek, Bethalto.
- John Hall, Granite City, and Elia Ramos, Cahokia.
- Kenneth Herrin Sr., Cottage Hills, and Lori Dettwiler, Granite City.
- Jack Howard, Maryville, and Judith Detering, both of Maryville.
- William Hursey and Jacqueline Dickerson, both of Collinsville.
- Carl Johnson, and Teri Gordon, both of Collinsville.
- James Pace, and Beverly Taylor, both of Granite City.
- Jane Pearson, and Marilyn Luthy, both of Belleville.
- Curtis Reed, and Christine Drescher, both of Edwardsville.
- Edward Spinnoff Jr., and Susan Carmack, both of Collinsville.
- John Starr of Edwardsville, and Kelli McKinnon, Glen Carbon.
- Gerald Wagoner, and Cynthia Clark, both of Alhambra.
- Jeffrey Abner, and Anita Lynch, both of Granite City.
- Phil Antraskus Jr., and Linda Neuling, both of Collinsville.
- Ronald Bealand, and Christine Harper, both of Granite City.
- Jimmy Byrd Jr., and Carol Muir, both of Granite City.
- Chris Detering, and Christine Jedd, both of Caseyville.
- Anthony Duckworth, Sandersville, Ga., and Amy Coverdell, Collinsville.
- Matthew Fes, and Amy Gillison, both of Granite City.
- Paul Gierman, Bethalto, and Jan Lyons, Troy.
- Charles Gustin, and Sheri Doty, both of Collinsville.
- Harold Howard, and Peggy Vangilder, both of Granite City.
- Samuel Jones, Madison, and Carolyn Jones, Cahokia.
- Bernard Judy, and Nicole Smith, both of Granite City.
- Raymond Kahn, and Linda Whitbey, both of Granite City.
- Kirby Knackstedt, Alhambra, and Laura Pollmann, Marine.
- Daniel Landwehr, and Sarah Kirby, both of Granite City.
- Mark Loey, and Donna Jennings, both of Collinsville.
- Everett Lips, and Louise Monken, Swansea.
- Danny McNeilly Jr., and Elsie Petrait, both of Granite City.
- Lynn Meyer, Caseyville, and Kandy Cannon, Collinsville.
- David Palmer, Bethalto, and Julie Frymire, Morey.
- David Phlego, Troy, and Tina

- Brenningmeyer, Caseyville.
- Danny Ramsey, and Vicki Daves, both of Fairmont City.
- Raymond Rantanen, Staunton, and Deborah Balster, Bethalto.
- Kathryn Ray, and Shannon Shepard, both of Granite City.
- Tad Roniger, Sweet Home, Ore., and Karl Spitzer, Edwardsville.
- Jason Schmidt, and Stephanie Parriah, both of Granite City.
- Jeffrey Shelton, and Donna Silverast, both of Collinsville.
- Clarence Smith, and Julia Ballard, both of Granite City.
- James Stuart, and Berninda Livingston, both of Granite City.
- Richard Sutton, and Maria Bruzalis, both of Granite City.
- Robert Swanson, Granite City, and Bonnie Raasmussen, Zion, Ill.
- Todd Tipton, and Mary Zucha, both of Belleville.
- Thomas Toth, Kenna Johnson, both of Collinsville.
- Eugene Touchette, Marine, and Judy McBride, Highland.
- Kentrie Trutt, and Shinita Hutson, both of Madison.
- Robert Tucker, and Liza Labredor, both of Collinsville.
- Ning Zhou, and Ruohua Zeng, both of Edwardsville.
- Jason Bannister, Dorsey, Julie Twichell, Godfrey.
- John Barham, and Roberta Barham, both of Granite City.
- Thomas Battistini Sr., St. Louis, and Margaret Collins, Granite City.
- Kevin Brown, and Kimberly Trovati, both of Granite City.
- Timothy Cadigan, Maryville, and Amy Mortland, Wood River.
- Michael Clark, and Tawnya Douglas, both of Glen Carbon.
- Jeffrey Copeland, and Tawnya Furlow, both of Moro.
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- Scott Duval, and Marian Vitale, both of Madison.
- Gary East, Wood, and Dixie Garey, Sacramento, Calif.
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**Reading pays** — The Granite City Kiwanis Club recently donated a collectible coin to the Granite City School District for each sixth-grade student who successfully completed 100 books in the independent Reading Program during each year of their elementary school career. The IRP is designed to encourage elementary students to read for pleasure while improving their overall reading ability. From left are: Kiwanis Club President Jason Strotheide; Niedringhaus School Principal Ellen Voyles, chairperson of the district's IRP; and Kiwanis Club member Randy Vollmar.

## Blair School names 3rd quarter honor roll

Bernard Long, principal of Blair School in Madison, has announced the names of the students on the honor roll for the third quarter.

- Kindergarten:** Joseph Baker, Donnell Jones, LeWayne Jones, Kendrick Mosby, Alexie Stanley and Darin Walker Jr. **First Grade:** Ashley Hughes, Marcus Scruggs, Lynneha Simmons and Simone Willis. **Second Grade:** Harvey Walker and Manuel Wallace. **Third Grade:** Samuel London.
- Honor Students**
- Kindergarten:** Frederick Alford, Bernadette Brown, Erin Cody, Clarence Douglas, DeAndre Edmonds, Roveysha Finley, Gavin Gallion, Lamoniya Gregory, De Shean Jordan, Va Shean Jordan, Terra Matthews, La Darin Montomery, Malaine Miller, Jabari Perkins, Tanesha Pickett, Robert Valentine, Talisa Watson.

## Adopt-a-pet event planned for Saturday

Madison County Humane Society is holding an adopt-a-pet day from noon to 4 p.m. Saturday, May 3, at the PetSmart in O'Fallon. Puppies, dogs, kittens and cats are available for adoption. The cost of adopting a dog is \$50 and includes a rabies shot, DHPP, collar, leash, ID tag and \$15 spay/neuter deposit. Purebreds and declawed cats are available. For more information, call the Madison County Humane Society at 655-4405.

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## Mounds offers variety of activities in May

Storytelling, a nature/culture hike and the Kids' Day special event highlight activities during May at Cahokia Mounds State Historic Site.

Michael Lapaca, an illustrator and storyteller of Apache — Hopi — Tewa descent, will present a free storytelling program at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 3, in the Interpretive Center auditorium.

Lapaca was enlightened by stories he heard as a child around campfires and at family gatherings, and he says "the Creator allows my voice to share the truth found in stories." His program is part of the 18th Annual Storytelling Festival held at many locations around the metropolitan area, sponsored by the University of Missouri-St. Louis, Continuing Education and Outreach College of Arts and Sciences, in cooperation with the National Park Service.

A three-mile Nature/Culture Hike will be from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 10. An archaeologist will lead participants through several archaeological and ecological zones of Cahokia Mounds explaining how parts of the site were used through time and how the Indians used a variety of plants and animals they encountered. The hike is free, and participants should gather at the Interpretive Center information desk and dress for the weather. If it is raining, the hike will be canceled.

Kids' Day, one of Cahokia Mounds' biggest special events, will be from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Sunday, May 18. There will be many hands — on activities for kids of all ages, including arrowhead making (flintknapping), identifying

animal tracks, pottery making, playing Indian games, atlatl spear throwing, corn grinding and shell bead making. There will be exhibits of animal hides and live birds of prey, special performances by the Kahokians at 2 and 4 p.m., and kids may have their faces painted with Indian designs. Shuttle buses will run from the special event parking lot to the Interpretive Center. The event is free and open to the public, and is sponsored by the Cahokia Mounds Museum Society, Illinois Historic Preservation Agency and the Cahokia Mounds Volunteers, with assistance from the Egyptian Radio Club, MedStar Ambulance, the Illinois State Police and the Department of Natural Resources.

The "Indian Diversity" exhibit continues through May. It features Indian cultures from the Southwest, Southeast and Northeastern Woodlands, with each group examined through historical photographs, artwork, maps, text and artifacts from the first contact with Europeans to the present day. The daily activities, material culture, social life, modern government, schools, industry and family life of these groups is also examined. An award-winning educational package related to the exhibit is available for \$20 from the Museum Shop. It includes a 50-page handbook which explores the prehistoric cultures of North America, as well as the modern Choctaw, Ponca, Pueblo and Peoria/Miami cultures. Four 17x22-inch posters, which may be joined to form one large poster, are also part of the package. For ordering information, call 344-9221.

## Stevens wins society award

Valerie Stevens was named the 1997 Achievement Award winner on April 13 at the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International Convention held in Schaumburg.

The award is presented to a member of the organization in recognition of services and achievement above and beyond those expected duties and responsibilities at the state level.

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International is the largest professional honorary organization in the world whose primary purpose is the advancement of education and women educators.

Prior to her retirement, Stevens was the Music Supervisor in the Madison School District for 36 years. A member of the Beta Eta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma for 35 years, she has served the organization through various chapter and state offices and chair-



Valerie Stevens

Her most notable contribution has been as the inspiration and accompanist of the "Downstaters", a musical group that has performed at many chapter and state events. Stevens was accompanied to the convention by her husband, Robert Stevens, and her Delta Kappa Gamma friends.

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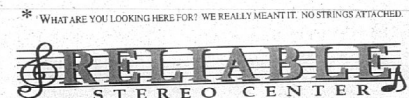
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# NEWS

## Calendar

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**QUAD CITY YOUTH FELLOWSHIP ADULT BOARD**, 2257 Cleveland, meet at 7 p.m., first Monday of each month. For more information, call 931-3480 or 877-4565.

**METRO EAST LANDLORD'S ASSOCIATION**, monthly meeting, May 5, at the Eagle's Hall, 840 California, Collinsville. Registration begins at 6:30 p.m.; meeting begins at 7 p.m. Nonmembers free for this special meeting. Dr. Richard Powellson, will be the guest speaker. His program will include how to buy houses without using a bank.

**CAMERA EXPLORERS CLUB** meet at the Hartford Public Library, 143 W. Hawthorne St., at 7 p.m., first Monday of each month. For more information, call Beverly Zager at 254-9394.

**ELKETTIES**, Granite City Lodge 1063, Maryville Rd., meet at 7 p.m., the first Tuesday of each month except July and August. For more information, call 931-3557.

**MADISON COUNTY LEGAL SECRETARIES ASSOCIATION**, meets the first Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Open to everyone in legal field: attorneys, legal secretaries, support staff, court reporters and court personnel. For more information, call 465-4400.

**MADISON COUNTY HOMEMAKERS EXTENSION ASSOCIATION**, Granite City unit, meets at noon, first Tuesday of each month at the Anchorage Recreational Center. For more information, call 876-7028 or 831-3735.

**TRIO UNIT, MADISON COUNTY HOMEMAKERS EXTENSION ASSOCIATION**, meets at noon, first Tuesday of each month, Luther Hospital Church, 3715 Wabash Ave., Granite City.

**TOASTMASTERS INTERNATIONAL** meets the first, third and fifth Tuesday of the month from 7:30 p.m. at Shoney's, Hwy. 157 (44 Commerce Drive), Collinsville. For more information, call 682-8028 or 344-2688.

**GRANITE CITY KIWANIS** meet at Shoney's at 7:30 a.m. every Tuesday.

The Troy/Maryville/Collinsville chapter of **Business Network Int'l (BNI)** meets at 7 a.m. every Tuesday at Randy's Restaurant in Troy. For more information, call Lisa at (618) 667-8340.

### School

**SCHOOL OF METAPHYSICS** meets 7:30-10:30 p.m. every Tuesday, 9459 Rouben Place, St. John, Mo. 63114. Classes in applied metaphysics. For more information, call Melanie McManus at 429-0076.

### Seniors

**PONTON BEACH SENIOR CITIZENS BINGO** is at 11:30 a.m. every Wednesday at 3910 Illinois 111, Ponton Beach.

**ATTENTION MEDICAL BENEFICIARIES**—Come and hear how *Advanta* can give you complete health-care coverage. The presentation is every Thursday at 10 a.m. at the Ponton Beach Senior Center, 3910 Highway 111, Ponton Beach.

**EAGLE PARK ACRE SENIORS OF MADISON** meet every Thursday from 10 a.m.-noon at 100 Hill St. (rear), Eagle Park Acres in Madison.

**FRIDAY AFTERNOON PINOCHLE CLUB** for seniors 55 and over meets at 12:30 p.m. every Friday at the Harold Brown Building, Franklin Avenue and Ponton Road. For more information, call 877-0350.

**SENIOR SOCIAL CLUB** will meet Sunday, May 4, at the Nelson Hagauer Township Hall. Doors open at 12:30 p.m. Games start at 2 p.m. For more information, call 877-1215.

**A 55-ALIVE MATINEE DRIVING CLASS** is being offered at Belleville Area College, Granite City Campus, 4960 Maryville Rd., May 1-2. Room 345, from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Class size limited. Call 931-7018 between the hours of 9 a.m.-12:45 p.m. to register.

### Singles Connection

Join the group for **LINE DANCING AND LESSONS** Wednesday, April 30, at the Alton-Godfrey Sportsman Club on Highway 67 north of Alton. Cost is \$4 and lessons will be given at 7 p.m. R.S.V.P. to Mary Lou at 463-9530.

### Support Groups

**PULMONARY SUPPORT GROUP** for persons with diagnosed lung condition meets from 11 a.m.-noon every Wednesday at 400-ore Solarium, St. Elizabeth Medical Center. For more information, call 798-3019.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meet at 8 p.m. every Wednesday at St. Elizabeth School's Noah's Ark Day Care, Ponton Road in Granite City. The meetings are closed except for the last Wednesday of the month.

**DIVORCED AND SEPARATED GROUP** ministry meets from 8:30 p.m. every Wednesday, Eden United Church of Christ, 903 Second Street in Edwardsville. For more information, call 656-9268.

**PARENTS ANONYMOUS GROUP**, meets at 8 p.m. every Wednesday at St. Elizabeth School's Noah's Ark Day Care, Ponton Road in Granite City. The meetings are closed except for the last Wednesday of the month.

meets 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., first and third Thursday of each month. For information on where meeting will be held, call Elaine Searcy at 462-2714 or Lyle Cubberly at 462-2582.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 8 p.m. every Thursday, 2116 Club, 2116 Edison in Granite City. For more information, call 1 (800) 307-6600.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 8 p.m. every Thursday at Presbyterian Church, Mitchell. For more information, call 1 (800) 307-6600.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 8 p.m. every Thursday, 2116 Club, 2116 Edison Ave. in Granite City. For more information, call 1 (800) 307-6600.

**ALANON** meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Wellness Center, 2103 Louis. For more information, call 463-2429.

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 8 p.m. every Thursday, 2018 Delmar Ave. For more information, call 24-hour hot-line 398-9409.

**ALANON** meets at 8 p.m. every Friday in the Mitchell Room in the basement at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. For more information, call 463-2429.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at noon and 8 p.m. every Friday, 2116 Club, 2116 Edison in Granite City. For more information, call 1 (800) 307-6600.

**STEMSS** (Support Together for Emotional and Mental Serenity and Sobriety), a support group for people with a mental illness and an alcohol or substance abuse problem, meets every Friday from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. For more information, call 798-3604.

**DEPRESSIVE MANIC DEPRESSIVE ASSOCIATION OF MADISON COUNTY** will meet from 1-3 p.m. every Friday, at Woodview Township Hospital, Barbara Hopkins and Alice Elam are the co-leaders. For more information, call the DMA office at (314) 776-3698.

**ALANON ADULT CHILDREN** meets at 10 a.m. every Saturday at Providence, 2103 Louis. Park in rear. Meeting is non-smoking. For more information, call 463-2429.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 8 p.m. every Saturday at 2116 Club, 2116 Edison in Granite City. For more information, call 1 (800) 307-6600.

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS**, Acceptance, meets at 8 p.m. every Saturday, 2018 Delmar Ave. For more information, call the 24-hour hot-line at 398-9409.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., every Sunday, 2116 Club, 2116 Edison in Granite City. For more information, call 1 (800) 307-6600.

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS**, Live the Steps, meets at 8 p.m. every Sunday, 2018 Delmar Ave. For more information, call the 24-hour hot-line at 398-9409.

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**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at noon and 8 p.m., every Monday, 2116 Club, 2116 Edison in Granite City. For more information, call 1 (800) 307-6600.

**ALANON** meets at 9:30 a.m. every Monday, 2116 Club, 2116 Edison in Granite City. For more information, call 463-2429.

**CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY RELAPSE PREVENTION** group meets from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. every Monday at the Edwardsville Health Center, 1123 University Drive in Edwardsville. The group focuses on eliminating relapse-prone thinking, feeling and behavior patterns and helping group members grow in sobriety. For more information, call 798-3888.

**NEGLECTED VICTIMS OF CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE**, a support group for nonoffending parents of victims, meets from 7 to 7:30 p.m. every Monday at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville's Rape and Sexual Abuse Care Center. For more information, call 692-2197.

**DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP** meets from 1 to 3 p.m., first Tuesday of each month, President's Room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. For more information, call 798-3456.

**ALLIANCE FOR THE MENTALLY ILL OF MADISON COUNTY**, (AMI) meets the first Tuesday of each month from 7 p.m.-9 p.m. at the Mental Health Clinic, 50 Industrial Drive in Granite City. For more information, call 798-3604.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 8:30 a.m. and 8 p.m., every Tuesday, 2116 Club, 2116 Edison in Granite City. For more information, call 1 (800) 307-6600.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** (women only) meets at 8 p.m., every Tuesday at Presbyterian Church in Mitchell. For more information, call 1 (800) 307-6600.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** meets at 8 p.m. every Tuesday at St. John United Church, 2901 Nameoki Road in Granite City. For more information, call 692-8078.

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**ALANON** meets at 8 p.m., every Tuesday at Niedringhaus United Methodist Church cafeteria, 2018 Delmar in Granite City. For more information, call 463-2429.

**ALATEEN AND PREALATEEN PROGRAM** for 12 to 17 age group, and prelateen for seven to 11 year age group, meets at 8 p.m. every Tuesday at Niedringhaus United Methodist Church, 2018 Delmar. For more information, call 463-2429.

**THE CIRCLE OF HOPE**, a 12-step healing program for anyone whose life is affected by HIV infection meets at 7 p.m. every Tuesday at the King's House on North 66th Street in Belleville. For more information, call 234-0291.

**NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS**, Path to Recovery meets at 8 p.m. every Tuesday at 2018 Delmar Ave. For more information, call the 24-hour hot-line at 398-9409.

### Veteran Services

**DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS CHAPTER 53** will offer a service officer from 1-3 p.m. every Wednesday at the Tri-City Veterans Home, located at 1417 19th St. in Granite City. For more information, call 876-7818.

**DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS CHAPTER 53 AUXILIARY** meets at 8 p.m. on the first and third Monday of each month at 1417 19th St. in Granite City. For more information, call 876-7818.

### Other

The Old Six Mile Historical Society will host a **TALK BY ELLA WADSWORTH** on **THE LADIES' COUNTERIES' 102ND YEAR CELEBRATION** will meet at 7 p.m. on Monday, May 5 at the Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road. There is no charge and refreshments will be served. For more information, call Ruth Jensen at 931-1352.

**MADISON COMMUNITY ACTION GROUP** meets at 7 p.m. every Wednesday at the Nameoki Bldg. For more information, call Dan at 452-2338 or Diane at 876-1380.

**EAGLES AUXILIARY 1128 BINGO**, 1 p.m. every Sunday at the Nameoki Bldg. Also included will be a color raffle, 50/50 drawing free games and other raffles.

**GATEWAY SOUNDS CHORUS** meets at 7:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the Collinsville Senior Citizen Center, 420 E. Main in Collinsville. For more information, call Joyce Greiner at 398-8853.

The **ADOPT-A-PET** Shelter of Benid Pets Mart, 1570 W. Hwy. 50, O'Fallon, Sunday, May 4, from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Puppies, kittens and adult dogs and cats. Some are neutered or spayed. All have shots. Dogs are puppies are \$40. Cats and kittens are \$25. For more information, call the Benid Shelter at 217-885-2338.

## BIRTHS

### Przybylsz,

**Tanner Robert**  
**SHERRI AND TOM PRZYBYLSZ** of Collinsville have announced the birth of their first child, son, **Tanner Robert**, born at 9:28 p.m. March 7, 1997, at Anderson Hospital, Maryville. He weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces.  
Maternal grandparents are Kathleen and Robert Soudim of Collinsville.  
Paternal grandparents are Cora and the late John Przybylsz of Collinsville.

### Tongay, Louis Michael

**ENIKA BRETZ** and **MICHAEL TONGAY** of Troy have announced the birth of their first child, a son, **Louis Michael**, born at 1:56 p.m. March 8, 1997, at Anderson Hospital, Maryville. He weighed 8 pounds, 6 1/2 ounces.  
Maternal grandparents are Harriet and Ron Bretz of Elfers, Pa.  
Paternal grandparents are MARY Kay and Paul Tongay of Caseyville.

### Thomason,

**Jason Michael**  
**JULIE AND STACEY THOMASON** of Glen Carbon have announced the birth of their third child, a son, **Jason Michael**, born at 7:15 p.m. March 8, 1997, at Anderson Hospital, Maryville. He weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces, and joined Amber, 6, and Timothy, 3.  
Maternal grandparents are Mary and Sonny Wisenbunt of Maryville.  
Paternal grandparents are Judy and Leonard Thomason of Collinsville.

### Stone, Dustin Cole

**RENEE AND HERMAN STONE JR.** of Edwardsville have announced the birth of their first child, a son, **Dustin Cole**, born at 4:32 p.m. March 9, 1997, at Anderson Hospital, Maryville. He weighed 8 pounds, 3 ounces.  
Maternal grandparents are Dave and Wendy of Edwardsville and Sue Schenck of O'Fallon.  
Paternal grandparents are Herman Stone Sr. of Denison, Texas, and Gail Hays of Phoenix, Ariz.

### Copeland, Holly Ashlynn

**KAREN AND TERRY COPELAND** of Granite City have announced the birth of their fourth child, a daughter, **Holly Ashlynn**, born at 1:00 p.m. March 10, 1997, at Anderson Hospital, Maryville. She weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces, and joins brothers Jeremy, 4, Jesse, 7, and a sister, Hannah, 4.  
Maternal grandparents are Trudy and Jim Black of Granite City.  
Paternal grandparents are Betty and Don Copeland of Granite City.

### McKee, Daniel Lee

**RENEE AND TROY MCKEE** of Collinsville have announced the birth of their second child, a son, **Daniel Lee**, born at 8:17 a.m. March 11, 1997, at Anderson Hospital, Maryville. He weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces, and joins a brother, Joey, 13 months.  
Maternal grandparents are Peggy and Carl Settya of Collinsville.  
Paternal grandparents are Ernest McKee of Collinsville, and Robert McKee of St. Louis.

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# ENTERTAINMENT

## Granite City Drivers Services Facility gets recognized

Secretary of State George H. Ryan recently announced that the Granite City Driver Services Facility has been named a Gold Medal Facility — a recognition as one of the most efficient and customer-oriented facilities in the Secretary of State's office.

"Everyone who works at the

Granite City facility should be very proud of this accomplishment," Ryan said. "They represent the highest standards of customer service and professionalism in my office."

Illinois' 113 full-time driver facilities were rated on customer service, employee effi-

ciency, management and general appearance of the facility. Ratings were based on public comments and unannounced visits by management. Twenty-eight facilities received the top Gold rating, 57 received the Silver rating and 28 received the Bronze rating.

The presentation was made

to the Facility Manager Forest Borror on behalf of Ryan by Driver Services Director Mike Chamness.

Public Service Representatives honored in the Granite City facility were Juliann Burns, Phyllis Wilbur, Charlene Stauder and Terry Peach.

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## Horoscope

Wednesday, April 30

The Aquarian moon conjuncts Jupiter, paving the way for advancement through intellectual ideas, cutting-edge methods and futuristic solutions. Be on the lookout for new friends, as all kinds of social connections will lead to satisfaction in other areas of life. Love springs from platonic wells. Money grows out of meetings of the mind. The sun in Taurus favors headway through slow, steady advances.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19): A new business venture will end in triumph. A woman requires forgiveness for her curious meddling in your private life. You feel unexpected romantic love for an old friend. A Capricorn brings luck.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): Your dependability at the office will get you promoted. Shower loved ones with affection, not gifts. A prolonged visit from an old relative will bring back happy memories. Meditate and read.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21): It is not your job to criticize yourself — just create. Dare to show your artwork to powerful people. Think twice before making any serious decisions regarding your love life. Foreign-language courses open new horizons.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 23): Exercise prudence and patience with your new partner. Late phone calls could irritate friends. New purchases will enhance the beauty of your living space. Take into consideration all that a child discloses.

**LEO** (July 24-Aug. 23): Keep faith in your partner's abilities. Ardent love for your sweetheart will erase his or her reservations. The impressive orator that you are will show great talent as a listener. Nobody needs you to be perfect, so be yourself instead.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAY** (April 30): You bring light to inner turmoil this year, becoming an inspiration to everyone you encounter. Come to terms with your strengths, and fear success no longer. A business meeting next month will change your life for the better. Your support of a distressed friend will pay off in June. Singles find love with a Leo or Sagittarius. Your best marriage months are June and November.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Research and scholarly work will broaden your inner world. Your health is better than you think, but keep adding to your own immune system by eating right. Blessings in disguise arrive via a Libra this evening.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23): A new partnership will boost your business. Buy a plant to reflect abundance in your world. A socially conscious friend has inside information. Don't expect others to deliver more than you would in the same position.

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**SCORPIO** (Oct. 24-Nov. 21): A temporary stray from romantic ideals brings reality to healthy relationships. Planning for setbacks makes you a hero. Frankness with employees will change things favorably. Don't be blinded by strong sexual desires.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your optimism and loyalty to your firm are an example for all. An immediate attraction is out of the blue, but proceed slowly. A forceful style gets answers from co-workers. Consider the plusses of taking on a roommate or border.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Discipline and thorough will help you achieve goals. Look for a partner who is as faithful as you are. A complimentary mate is sincere. Pay bills in order of priority. Offer a gym enrollment to your spouse.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Single-mindedness achieves a financial goal. An activity reminds you of a past love and may inspire you to reconnect briefly. Your confidence peaks this afternoon. Invite a supportive friend to dinner.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): Modesty and sensitivity will be part of your success. Be patient with a demanding relative. Your mate will ask for a commitment. Enter that art competition — the outcome will be enriching. Cancer loves are lucky.

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# Today's Food

Wednesday, April 30, 1997

## Food & Nutrition

### Wise Ways

Parents can take charge of replenishing their children's thirst needs with fluids that fit their level of exertion.

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### Heart-y Bites

Cookbook story reads like sweet novel of upper crust rivalry for waistline and fat level of strawberry pie lover.

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### Blue Ribbon Cook

Winning spinach salad gets sweet attitude from fruit and tangy dressing.

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### Private Label Test Run

Crisp rice bars come prepared and wrapped individually for easy packing. The Flavorite brand at Dierbergs, which costs less than national brands, is on the sample table this week.

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### Micro Raves

Get your feet wet on the Internet and surf for ideas to cook up in the microwave.

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### Kids' Cuisine

One-third of school-age kids fix their own breakfast. Stock a breakfast bar with several cereals, raisins, fruit, juice, milk and yogurt, breads, rice cakes, breakfast bars, hard-cooked eggs and peanut butter and jelly.

## Health & Fitness

### Medicine Chest

Early diagnosis and preventative measures are the best options for decreasing mortality from colon cancer. New research supports evidence that increased dietary fiber can decrease the incidence of recurrent polyps. Annual exams or the use of home test kits is recommended.

### Fresh Picks

The idea for Frozen Strawberry Cookie Pie comes from Tim Bryant Jr., chef at the Mayfair Hotel in downtown St. Louis, which has been celebrating a Strawberry Festival at its grill. Prepare or buy a graham cracker pie shell. Gently fold sliced fresh strawberries and chocolate chip cookies, broken into small pieces, into softened vanilla ice cream, low-fat ice cream or frozen yogurt. Scoop into room-temperature pie crust. Freeze, tightly covered, until firm. Remove from freezer 10 minutes before slicing.

### Big Fat Tip

Low-fat or fat-free Italian salad dressing turns a nicoise salad into a low-fat meal. Separately toss cold cooked potatoes, green beans and/or lima beans, olives, sliced cucumber, green pepper strips and artichoke hearts in the dressing. Arrange them on a plate with flaked water-packed tuna.

### Future Shop

Now that they have begun to turn 50, baby boomers quake at their designation as 'aged.' As the International Food Information Council designates in its current 'Food Insight,' there are two seasons of aging. Characterized by independence and dependence, they are loosely defined as before and after age 55. Boomers tend to grab food's health-related messages, value taste and convenience, keep decadence on the menu for dessert at a healthy meal and won't have a knee-jerk reaction to every diverse study about food science.



and cheese move from one cover to another, changing ahas with seasonings and other ingredients. For instance, their accent is Italian when vegetables and Italian sausage are matched with sweet rosemary, while they make a habanero home when pork, chili, salsa and rice are rolled inside.

Fresh onions are coming into the market. Names like Texas sweets, Vidalias and sweet imperials are typical of the season. Not meant to be held long, they flourish in flavor and juiciness when used quickly.

Cheese presents imaginative

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By Janice Denham  
Staff writer

Wrappin' and rollin' is now an official national pastime. It is practical, too. A wrapped sandwich holds a lot more variety than a hot dog on a stick. It can be eaten out of hand while on the go or gain leisurely favor with a knife and fork.

Ingredients like sweet onions, olives

## RUN FOR THE BURGOO

"The greatest two minutes in sports" for this year occurs Saturday with the 123rd running of the Kentucky Derby. The rest of the day is spent enjoying hospitality southern-style. For a taste of a perfect day, share a pot of burgoo.

### DEAD HEAT KENTUCKY BURGOO

- 1 hen (traditionally fat, at least 4 lb.)
- 1 to 2 lb. lean stew meat (beef, veal or lamb)
- 3 to 4 pt. water
- 1-1/2 tsp. coarsely ground black pepper
- 1/2 tsp. cayenne pepper
- 2 cans (14 oz. each) tomato puree
- 12 potatoes
- 4 large onions, chopped
- 1 large head cabbage, finely chopped
- 6 to 8 medium tomatoes, peeled, chopped, or 3 cans (1 lb. each) tomatoes
- 6 to 8 ears corn, kernels cut off cob, or 2 cans (16 oz. each) kernel corn
- 1 lb. carrots, sliced
- 1 tbsp. salt
- 1 tsp. pepper
- 1/2 to 1 cup Worcestershire sauce

Cook chicken and stew meat in water with black and cayenne pepper about 40 minutes until chicken leaves bones and meat is very tender. Remove bones, shred meat and return to liquid.

Add tomato puree, potatoes, onion, cabbage, tomatoes, carrots and corn. Season with salt, pepper and Worcestershire sauce.

Cook slowly 2 to 3 hours until consistency of thick stew, stirring from bottom to keep from scorching. Add water, if necessary, to keep from sticking.

Note: For more vegetable choices, add 2 cups lima beans, 2 cups sliced okra and/or 2 green bell peppers, finely chopped.

Taken from the 'Kentucky Derby Museum Cookbook' (Early Times Distillery Co., \$22). For information, call toll-free 1-800-KYDERBY.





# Today's Food

## Cookies bake up fun for birthday or school

For an original idea for a kids' party that roars, send home the clowns and open up the kitchen.

Scrap the scramble to prepare foods, fill grab bags and decorate the house. Have party-goers help bake their treats.

For young kids, bake cookies the day before and create a "cookie bar" with colorful icings, sprinkles and candies. Let the kids have fun decorating cookies and creating personal masterpieces. If guests are older, prepare dough a day or so in advance, cover it well and refrigerate, then let kids roll it and create shapes at the party.

It's a zoo out there, especially at a birthday celebration with energetic party-goers. Turn their attention toward building an edible zoo. Cut cookies into animal shapes. Dab a bit of icing "glue" on mini marshmallows to create woolly lambs and fluffy bunny rabbits.

Icing becomes stripes on tigers and zebras and manes on lions, while chocolate sprinkles create a big brown bear's "fuzzy" fur. Creativity makes it a roaring good time.

Split the party into a few different groups — some can go preparing monkey and gorilla, others can make a splash by creating dolphins and whales.

Specialty craft or cooking stores carry animal cookie cutters, or animals can be cut from a coloring book and adults help trace shapes in dough using a table knife. A trip to the zoo or an animal balloon artist could finish the day.

Another way to launch a fun event is with a kid-crafted Noah's Ark party.

Read the story aloud for inspiration. In this sugarcake retelling, cookie animals line up two by two to board a giant construction paper ark. Set up stations around the kitchen where

party-goers can try their hands at frosting animals or building an ark with paper, glue and plenty of imagination.

To prepare for the big occasion, shine up the cookie sheets by making Chewy Jumbo Chocolate Chip Cookies. Share one, in tomorrow's lunch pack or send it with an invitation.

Party ideas and chunk cookies are a sampling from Camp Cookie, which the Land O'Lakes test kitchens prepare each summer. To receive a pamphlet of cookie ideas, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Camp Cookie Recipe Leaflet, P.O. Box 39104, Chicago, Ill. 60639 or call toll-free 1-800-782-9602 and ask for the Camp Cookie Recipe Leaflet.

For three days in July, eight children will visit Land O'Lakes Camp Cookie in Minneapolis/St. Paul where Land O'Lakes home economist counselors do a

little animal training of their own — teaching the tricks of great baking.

Winning children in grades three through six, accompanied by a parent, go to Camp Cookie and win a \$1,000 savings bond, by explaining in 25 words or less, "I'm a smart cookie because..." and why he or she deserves a trip to Camp Cookie. They will bake favorite animal cookies and take field trips to the Twin Cities, including to the Minnesota Zoo, which will display their baked culinary creatures.

Camp Cookie entries should be mailed to "Camp Cookie" at the same address. Each entry must be typed or printed on one piece of 8½-by-11-inch plain white paper and mailed separately. An entry must have entrant's name, address, telephone number, grade and, if desired, photo.

For complete rules, send

a self-addressed, stamped envelope to "Camp Cookie Rules" at the same address. Entries must be postmarked no later than June 16.

### CHEWY JUMBO CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES

- 3/4 cups all-purpose flour
- 1 cup cake flour
- 1 tsp. baking soda
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- 1/4 cups granulated sugar
- 1/4 cups firmly packed brown sugar
- 1 1/2 cups (3 sticks) butter, softened
- 2 eggs
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 1 pkz. (12 oz.) semisweet chocolate chips or chunks

Preheat oven to 375°. In medium bowl, combine

all-purpose and cake flour, baking soda and baking powder.

In large bowl, combine granulated and brown sugar and butter. Beat at medium speed of electric mixer, scraping bowl often, 1 minute until well mixed. Reduce speed to low. Gradually add flour mixture, while continuing to beat 2 to 3 minutes until well mixed. Using spoon, stir in chocolate chips.

Drop dough by 1/4 cupful 2 inches apart onto cookie sheets. Bake in preheated oven 10 to 14 minutes. Remove from cookie sheets.

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## Blue Ribbon Cook

### Tasty spinach salad sets up berries, greens

Lisa Ferner, Arnold, is winner of this week's recipe contest for Aunt Pat's Spinach Salad Supreme. The prize is dinner certificates from the Pasta House Co.

This sweet-yet-tangy dressing is best prepared a day ahead so its flavors blend. It became an instant success when her husband's aunt served it at Ferner's baby shower. A happy switch from the usual ingredients uses blueberries in place of mandarin oranges.

Recipes for the Green Vegetable Recipe Contest

must be postmarked today, April 30, for a prize each Wednesday in May. Send an entry using any type of green vegetable — like asparagus, spinach, greens, beans, broccoli or lettuce — to: Green Vegetable Recipe Contest, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131.

It can be sent with an entry for next month, if desired, as hot or cold dishes in the Macaroni and Spaghetti Recipe Contest will be assessed for prizes each Wednesday during June. Those entries must be post-

marked by May 31. Only one entry per contest may be submitted.

As usual, if there is a history to the recipe, it will be considered part of the entry. Along with taste and eye appeal, it will form the basis for selecting winners.

Originality will be considered, although the recipe need not be original. If possible, name the recipe's source. Include the name of the Journal you receive.

#### AUNT PAT'S SPINACH SALAD SUPREME

1/2 cup sugar  
1/2 cup oil  
1/4 cup cider vinegar  
1 tsp. poppy seed  
1/2 tsp. paprika  
1/2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce  
1 1/2 tsp. minced onion  
2 bunches or 1 pkg. (1 lb.) fresh spinach

1 pt. fresh strawberries, sliced  
1 pt. blueberries or mandarin oranges  
In blender, combine sug-

ar, oil, vinegar, poppy seed, paprika, Worcestershire sauce and onion. Chill, covered, overnight.

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By Mark Lymbopoulos

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Pork **\$1.69** Lb.  
**Spare Ribs**  
10 Lb. Box **\$1.09** Lb.  
**Slab Bacon**  
Family Pac **\$1.19** Lb.  
**Chicken Breast**

Grade "A"  
**Fryers**  
Sale Price 49¢ Lb.  
**29¢** With 1 Price Breaker

Center Cut **\$1.39** Lb.  
**Pork Steak**  
Family Pac **\$1.89** Lb.  
**Bratwurst**  
12 Oz. Hyde Park **69¢**  
**Hot Dogs**

4089 Pontoon Road - 931-1213

# LEROY'S

Prices Good 4/30 Thru 5/6/97  
We Reserve The Right To Limit



Starkist  
**Tuna Fish**  
Sale Price 59¢  
**9¢** 6 1/2 Oz. Can With 1 Price Breaker

Rainbow  
**Sugar**  
Sale price \$1.39  
**69¢** 4 Lb. Bag With 1 Price Breaker

Bounty  
**Paper Towels**  
Sale Price 79¢  
**19¢** Single Roll With 1 Price Breaker



**Krunchers**  
Potato Chips ..... **3.55 Oz. \$4**  
**Libby**  
Corn, Green Beans, Peas 15 Oz. Cans **4/\$2**  
**Dawn**  
Dish Detergent 14.7 Oz. Bottle **99¢**

24 Pk. Cube  
**Pepsi Cola**  
**\$4.99** Limit 2

Maull's 42 Oz. Bottle **FREE**  
**BBQ Sauce \$2.49**  
**Capri Sun** 10 Pk. **\$1.99**  
**Drinks**  
Reg. Bags 100 Ct. Box **\$2.49**  
**Lipton Tea**

## Frozen Food & Dairy Dept. SAVINGS



**Biscuits**  
Sale Price 99¢  
**39¢** 4 Pk. Biscuits With 1 Price Breaker  
**Sunny**  
Delight 64 Oz. Bottle **\$1.09**  
**Prairie Farms**  
**Ice Cream** Gal. Bucket **\$2.99**  
**Ore-Ida**  
Tater Tots or Crinkle Cut Fries 2 Lb. Bag **\$1.79**

Dole Packaged  
**Bananas**  
**38¢** Lb.

Dole **\$1.28**  
**Salad Mix** 1 Lb.  
**4/98¢**  
Sweet **\$1.28**  
**Yellow Corn**  
**Snow White**  
**Cauliflower**

New Crop **98¢**  
**Yellow Onions** 3 Lb. Bag  
Yellow or **\$1.38**  
**Red Delicious Apples** 3 Lb. Bag  
**Terry Farms** **98¢**  
**Mushrooms** 8 Oz. Pkg.

### Sausage Family Pak Sale

<b>Bratwurst</b> <b>\$1.89</b> Lb.	<b>BBQ Sausage</b> <b>\$1.79</b> Lb.
<b>Cajun Brat</b> <b>\$1.99</b> Lb.	<b>Apple Brats</b> <b>\$1.99</b> Lb.

## Liquor Dept. SAVINGS

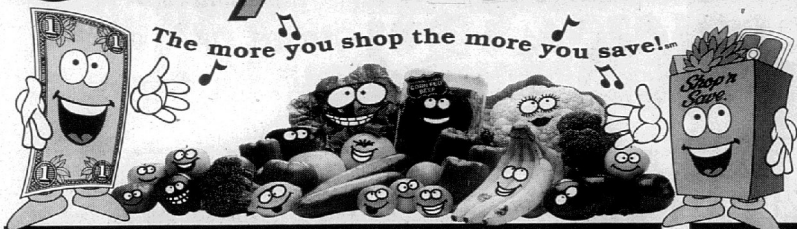


Light & Reg.  
**Michelob**  
**\$7.69** 12 Pk. Btl.

**Milwaukee** 12 Pk. **\$3.99**  
**Busch** Case **\$8.99**  
**Hamm's** **\$6.99** Case  
**Beer**

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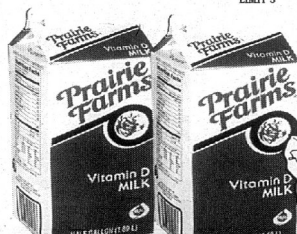
## BREAKFAST SOLUTIONS

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Prairie Farms Milk**

**3/\$4**  
1/2 GALLON

1 1/2 Dozen  
Medium Eggs

**79¢**  
18-CT. PKG. LIMIT 3



ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Lender's Frozen Bagels**

**89¢**  
5-6 CT. PKG.

SHOP 'N SAVE  
Wheat Sandwich Bread

**99¢**  
24-CT. PKG.



## LUNCH & SNACK SOLUTIONS

24-PACK, SPRITE  
**Coca-Cola Classic or Diet Coke**

**488**  
24/12-OZ. CANS  
2-LTR. BTL. COKE, OR DIET COKE 79¢

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Doritos Tortilla Chips...

**2/495**  
12.5-14.5 OZ. PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Sunshine Cheez-its.....

**198**  
19-16 OZ. PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES, VALUE PACK  
Pop Secret Popcorn.....

**2/\$4**  
6-PACK

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Capri Sun Drinks.....

**3/495**  
10-PACK

24-CAN CUBE  
**Pepsi, Diet Pepsi or Mountain Dew**

**488**  
24/12-OZ. CANS  
2-LTR. BTL. PEPSI OR DIET PEPSI 79¢

EVERYDAY LOW PRICE  
Mr Pibb, Mug, RC, or Diet Rite

**69¢**  
2-LTR. BTL.

STRAWBERRY SWIRL, VANILLA CHIP OR PRALINES & CREAM  
Nestle Supreme Drumsticks.....

**299**  
4-PACK

SQUEEZE  
Kraft Mustard.....

**2/\$1**  
8-OZ. PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Gatorade Thirst quencher

**99¢**  
32-OZ.



## HOME ESSENTIALS

OUR LOW SALE PRICE \$1.29  
75-CT. REG. OR FLAVORED  
OR 36-CT. ULTRA STRENGTH  
**Tums Antacid**

**79¢**

AFTER 50¢ OFF COUPON AVAILABLE IN-STORE  
LIMIT 2 WHILE SUPPLY LASTS  
OUR LOW SALE PRICE \$1.49  
ASSORTED VARIETIES, SHAVE GEL  
Edge or Skintimate.....

**49¢**  
7-OZ. CAN

AFTER \$1.00 OFF MAIL-IN REBATE IN-STORE  
OUR LOW SALE PRICE \$1.59  
40, 60, 75 OR 100 WATT  
G.E. Softwhite Light Bulbs.....

**119**  
4-PACK

AFTER 40¢ OFF COUPON AVAILABLE IN-STORE  
OUR LOW SALE PRICE \$1.59  
30/100 OR 50/150, SOFTWHITE  
G.E. 3 Way Light Bulbs.....

**119**  
1-CT. PKG.



CHARCOAL  
**Hickory River Briquettes**

**2/\$5**  
20-LB. BAG

Dow Handi Wrap.....

**99¢**  
100-FT. ROLL

RUBBLE GUM, GRAPE OR UNFLAVORED  
Kao Lectrolyte....

**429**  
4-PACK



## DINNER SOLUTIONS

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Kraft Barbecue Sauce**

**2/\$1**  
18-OZ. BTL.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Prego Primore Sauce.....

**2/\$4**  
18-OZ. PKG.

REG. OR THIN SPAGHETTI OR VERMICELLI  
La Rosa Pasta.....

**2/\$1**  
16-OZ. PKG.

REGULAR OR PARMESAN  
Pepperidge Farm Garlic Bread.....

**2/\$3**  
10-OZ. PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Betty Crocker Suddenly Salad

**99¢**  
5.75-8.1 OZ. PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Old El Paso Burritos.....

**3/\$1**  
3.55 OZ. PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Healthy Choice Dinners**

**2/\$5**  
9.6-19.25 OZ. PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
Totino's Party Pizza.....

**99¢**  
8.5-10.9 OZ. PKG.

ORIGINAL OR GREAT COMBINATIONS  
Jack's Pizza.....

**2/450**  
15-21 OZ. PKG.

8-INCH  
Pinata Flour Tortillas.....

**3/\$2**  
12.5 OZ. PKG.

NATURAL, MOZZARELLA, TACO OR CHEDDAR  
Sargento Shredded Cheese

**3/\$5**  
8-OZ. PKG.

3-OZ. PKG.  
Maruchan Ramen Noodles...

**10/99**

Shop 'n Save  
Biscuits.....

**10/88**  
10-CT. PKG.



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REGULAR, LIGHT  
Milwaukee  
Best.....

Miller  
High Life

Coors  
Light.....

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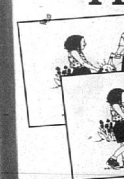
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GENUINE DRAFT, MILLER LITE OR  
New Miller

**1247**  
30/12-OZ.  
CANS



OUR LOW SALE PRICE \$10.99  
Seagram's  
Gin

**999**  
1.75-LTR. BTL.  
AFTER 1.00 OFF INSTANT COUPON

REGULAR, LIGHT OR ICE  
Milwaukee's  
Best.....

**697**  
24/12-OZ. CANS

Miller  
High Life.....

**1049**  
30/12-OZ. CANS

Coors  
Light.....

**1177**  
30/12-OZ. CANS

Corona.....

**447**  
6-L/N N/R BTLs.

Keystone.....

**697**  
24/12-OZ. CANS

Zima.....

**449**  
6-L/N N/R BTLs.

SIGNATURE BOTTLES  
Coors or  
Coors Light....

**489**  
4-PACK

### Shop'n Save Bringing Home Family Values!

As part of our community  
responsibility, anyone under the age of  
30 intending to purchase alcoholic  
beverages or tobacco products must  
provide specific photo I.D.  
that includes birth date.

Please-Be Responsible  
Don't Drink & Drive

OUR LOW SALE PRICE \$12.99  
Seagram's  
7-Crown.....

**1199**  
1.75-LTR. BTL.  
AFTER \$1.00 OFF COUPON AVAILABLE IN-STORE

Kamchatka  
Vodka.....

**799**  
1.75-LTR. BTL.

SILVER OR AMBER  
Bacardi  
Rum.....

**699**  
750-ML. BTL.

Bacardi  
Breezers.....

**289**  
4-PACK

Jose' Cuervo  
Gold Tequila....

**1199**  
750-ML. BTL.

Canadian  
Mist.....

**1099**  
1.75-LTR. BTL.

COCKTAIL OR  
Boones Farm  
Beverage Wine...

**2/\$4**  
750-ML. BTL.

SELECTED VARIETIES  
Paul Masson  
Wine.....

**2/\$5**  
1-LTR. CABARET

TGIF  
Cocktails.....

**999**  
1.75-LTR. BTL.

Bag  
Ice.....

**69¢**  
8-LB. BAG

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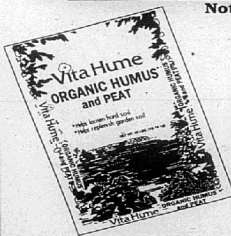
**379**  
EVERYDAY  
24-exp.  
3 1/2 inch prints

## Lawn & Garden

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VITA-HUME  
Organic Peat Moss  
or Top Soil

**99¢**  
40-LB. BAG



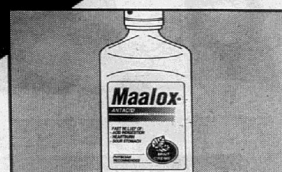
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## Shop'n Save Health & Beauty VALUES!



TWIN PACK  
Crest  
Toothpaste

**2/\$5**  
2-PACK  
4.6-OZ. PKG.  
WHILE SUPPLY LASTS



OUR LOW SALE PRICE \$3.49  
12-OZ. X-STRENGTH LIQUID,  
75-CT. X-STRENGTH TABLETS OR  
100 CT. REG. STRENGTH TABLETS

**249**  
AFTER \$1.00 OFF COUPON AVAILABLE IN-STORE

St. Ives Papaya  
Plus Shampoo.....

**2/\$3**  
15-OZ. BTL.

WAVE OR TOTAL  
Colgate  
Toothbrushes.....

**199**  
EACH

OUR LOW SALE PRICE \$3.49  
5-OZ. OINTMENT, 3-OZ. POWDER,  
2.7-OZ. AEROSOL OR  
3-OZ. CRUEX SPRAY POWDER

Desenex.....

**149**  
AFTER \$2.00 OFF COUPON AVAILABLE IN-STORE

OUR LOW SALE PRICE \$3.99, 3-OZ. SPRAY  
POWDER, 3.5-OZ. SPRAY LIQUID,  
3-OZ. CREAM OR 3-OZ.  
CRUEX POWDER SPRAY

Desenex RX  
Strength.....

**199**  
AFTER \$2.00 OFF COUPON AVAILABLE IN-STORE

5-CT. BLADES OR 1-CT. RAZOR  
Schick Tracer FX

**399**

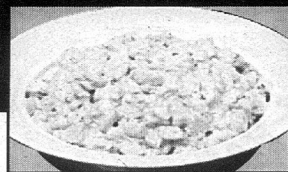
OUR LOW SALE PRICE \$1.49, 4-CT. AA OR AAA,  
2-CT. C OR D, 1-CT. 9-VOLT

G.E. Sanyo  
Batteries.....

**74¢**  
AFTER 75¢ OFF COUPON AVAILABLE IN-STORE

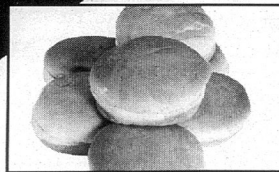
## Bakery, Seafood & Deli Dept. VALUES!

Bakery, Deli,  
& Seafood not  
available at  
all stores



AMERICAN OR MUSTARD  
Potato Salad

**99¢**  
lb.



Hamburger  
Buns

**99¢**  
8-CT. PKG.

GARLIC  
Reuben's  
Roast Beef.....

**499**  
lb.

SMOKED  
Jennie-O  
Turkey Breast

**299**  
lb.

Jumbo  
Cod Fillets.....

**399**  
lb.

Strawberry  
Rhubarb Pie....

**2/\$5**  
8-INCH

Lone Star  
Sweet Rolls.....

**399**  
8-CT. PKG.

Swordfish  
Steaks.....

**499**  
lb.

Play  
Sand.....

**199**  
50-LB. BAG



Pine Bark  
Mulch.....

**4/\$10**  
2-CUBIC FEET

Vita Hume  
Potting Soil....

**199**  
40-LB. BAG

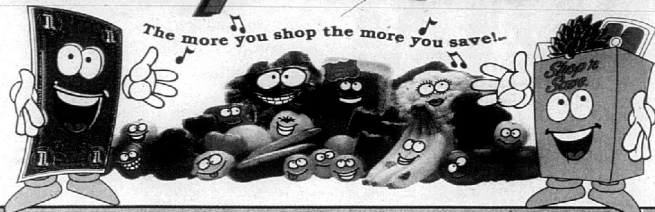
Marble  
Chips.....

**299**  
5-CUBIC FEET

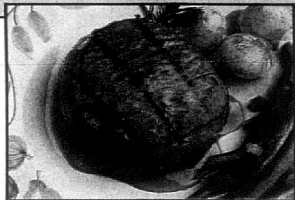
Cypress  
Mulch.....

**4/\$10**  
2-CUBIC FEET

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AMERICA'S CUT CENTER CUT  
**Boneless  
Pork Chops**

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lb.



BONELESS CENTER CUT  
**Canadian Style  
Pork Roast**

**2.99**  
lb.



HUDSON ALL NATURAL FRESH  
**Split Chicken Breast**

**97¢**  
lb. LIMIT 3 PKGS.



WHOLE  
**Kretschmar  
Boneless Ham**

**1.59**  
lb. LIMIT ONE PLEASE



ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Oscar Mayer  
Lunchables**

**4/\$5**  
4.5-OZ. PKG.

EXTRA VALUE  
**Holten  
Beef Patties.....** **3.99**  
5-LB. PKG.

NO POULTRY ADDED  
**Field  
Original Wieners** **.99¢**  
1-LB. PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES  
**Banquet  
Family Entrees....** **1.99**  
28-OZ. PKG.

CRISPY CRUNCHY  
**Mrs. Paul's Fish  
Sticks or Fillets** **2.99**  
18.7-19.1 OZ. PKG.

ALL VARIETIES  
**Eckrich  
Smoked Sausage** **1.99**  
1-LB. PKG.

REGULAR, LIGHT OR GARLIC  
**Oscar Mayer  
Bologna.....** **2/\$3**  
1-LB. PKG.

CHICKEN, BEEF OR PORK  
**Lloyd's  
Barbecue Tubs..** **5.99**  
2-LB. CTN.

LINKS  
**Oscar Mayer  
Pork Sausage....** **2.89**  
lb.

REGULAR OR BUN LENGTH  
**Oscar Mayer  
Wieners.....** **2/\$3**  
1-LB. PKG.

**Hunter  
Sliced Bacon....** **2.19**  
1-LB. PKG.

**Louis Rich Turkey  
Breast Portions....** **2.99**  
lb.

**Klements  
Bratwurst.....** **2.39**  
lb.



CALIFORNIA  
**Red-Ripe  
Strawberries**

**3.98**  
1/2 Flat  
6-DRY PINT FLAT



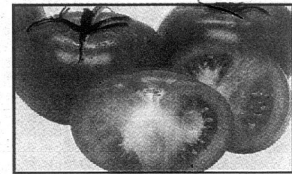
RED, GOLD OR ORANGE  
**Bell  
Peppers**

**2/.98**



**Dole Classic  
Salad Blend**

**88¢**  
1-LB. PKG.



VINE RIPE  
**Slicing  
Tomatoes**

**38¢**  
lb. LIMIT 10 POUNDS

95-CT. SIZE  
**Sunkist  
Lemons.....** **4/.98**

WASHINGTON STATE  
**Fuji  
Apples.....** **78¢**  
lb.

**Florida Sweet  
Yellow Corn.....** **1.58**  
5-PACK

SWEET  
**Vidalia  
Onions.....** **48¢**  
lb.

FRESH ONE  
**Baby  
Carrots.....** **1.88**  
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CAULIFLOWER FLORETTES OR  
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Cutlets.....** **1.98**  
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**Et Tu Caesar  
Salad Kit.....** **1.88**  
4.7-OZ. PKG.

MICRO-WAVE  
**Ozark  
Popcorn.....** **3/\$1**  
3-OZ. PKG.

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Exotic Varieties!**  
NOT AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES

FRESH  
**Diakon.....** **98¢**  
lb.  
FRESH PORTABELLA  
**Mushrooms.....** **2.98**  
lb.  
HYDROPONIC  
**Bibb Lettuce.....** **98¢**  
HEAD  
FRESH  
**Cilantro.....** **88¢**  
BUNCH  
MELISSA DRIED  
**Red Tomatoes....** **1.98**  
6-OZ. PKG.  
MELISSA DRIED  
**Papaya Slices....** **1.98**  
9-OZ. PKG.

**TOTAL  
VALUE**

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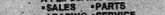
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# Heart attacks are the nation's No. 1 killer

A heart attack — or acute myocardial infarction — is caused by an inadequate supply of oxygenated and nutrient-rich blood to the heart, resulting in death of a portion of the heart muscle.

The heart uses oxygen at a greater rate than any other organ of the body. Most organs extract about 70 percent of the oxygen supplied by arterial blood flow; the heart uses as much as 98 percent.

Any obstruction of blood flow to the heart, therefore, can quickly result in heart tissue death and disruption of the electrical and mechanical functions of the heart muscle. Each year, nearly 1.5 million Americans suffer heart attacks; nearly one-third of these attacks are fatal.

## Atherosclerosis: Underlying Cause of Heart Attacks

The most common precursor of heart attack is atherosclerosis — a progressive disease that narrows or blocks arteries in the heart, brain and other parts of the body. It occurs when, over time, cell debris, collagen and other substances adhere to the artery walls, forming deposits called plaque. Over time, plaque buildup narrows the space within the artery walls, significantly impeding the flow of blood. Plaque deposits are thought to eventually rupture, which results in the formation of blood clots. In fact, in almost all heart attacks, it is the development of a blood clot that finally closes the artery enough to interrupt blood flow and cause a heart attack.

**Therapeutic Intervention**  
Once oxygen-deprived heart tissue dies, it cannot regenerate. However, if blood flow is restored promptly, tissue damage may be decreased and the endangered heart muscle salvaged.

The primary objective in the treatment of heart attack, therefore, is to quickly restore blood flow. This can be achieved with therapy that alleviates the obstruction.

**Surgical Procedures**  
Surgical procedures have commonly been used to restore adequate blood supply to the heart. These procedures include bypass surgery (use of a normal vein to construct a detour around a blocked coronary artery) and balloon angioplasty (insertion and inflation of a balloon into a blocked blood vessel to compress plaque against the wall of the artery).

**Drug Therapy**  
Clot-busting, or thrombolytic, agents are used on an emergency basis to treat heart attacks. These drugs dissolve clots already formed, and are most beneficial when administered early in the course of an attack before permanent heart muscle damage has occurred.

Because it dissolves clots, there is a small risk that thrombolytic therapy can cause bleeding, including intracranial bleeding. Therefore, certain patients should not receive this type of therapy. These include those at high risk of hemorrhage, those with a history of stroke, severe and uncontrolled hypertension or active bleeding, or who have had recent surgery or major injury.

**Time Matters: The Chain of Survival From Heart Attack**  
As many as 1.5 million people have heart attacks each year. About one third of them will die.

**Gender differences in heart attack:**  
Each year, 987,000 men and 513,000 women have heart attacks.

Of the approximately 500,000 fatal heart attacks per year, nearly half occur in women.

At older ages, women who have heart attacks are twice as likely as men to die from them in a few weeks.

More than 330,000 people currently die of heart attacks each year before ever reaching a hospital.

The average heart attack victim often dies what is happening, and with time at a premium, waits more than two hours before getting help.

Several large, worldwide studies have determined that life-saving heart attack therapies are most beneficial when initiated early in the course of a heart attack.

Guidelines from the National Institutes of Health's National Heart Attack Alert Program urge hospital emergency departments to reduce delays in treating heart attack patients. The goal is to treat heart attack patients within 30 minutes of arrival in the emergency room.

The Chain of Survival is a series of actions that must occur to enhance a heart attack patient's chances of survival. Each link in the Chain of Survival is an intervention point at which the

patient, family, friends and EMS and hospital professionals work together to prevent heart attack death.

**Actions in the Chain of Survival for heart attack include:**  
— Early Access to seek and receive medical care as soon as possible after the initial onset of heart attack symptoms, including knowing how to access emergency medical care, either through 9-1-1 or local EMS.  
— Early CPR to sustain circulation.

**Early Defibrillation to gain control of an erratic and inefficient heart.**

**Early Advanced Care to administer new life-saving therapies, such as clot-busters, balloon angioplasty and bypass surgery.**

The National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute recommends the following action steps, for both women and men, to ensure rapid treatment upon arrival to the emergency department.

One — Upon arrival to the

ER, state that you want to be evaluated for a heart attack and ask to be seen immediately by a doctor or nurse.

Two — Ask the doctor or nurse to take an electrocardiogram, also called an ECG, immediately to determine if you are having a heart attack.

Three — If the doctor says you are having a heart attack, ask the doctor if you are a candidate for thrombolytic, also known as clot-busting, therapy.

Four — If the doctor says

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you are a candidate for thrombolytic therapy, ask to be treated with it immediately.

If you are not a candidate for thrombolytic therapy, ask the doctor about other heart attack emergency treatments, such as balloon angioplasty or bypass surgery.

Because heart attacks are just as likely to occur in women

as men, women should become informed about heart attack symptoms and treatments available to save and improve their lives. Physicians and health care professionals also must work to expand their awareness of the devastating impact of heart attack on women, and improve diagnosis and treatment.

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NEWS

# Powell to speak at fair

By Jim Merkel  
Staff writer

Gen. Colin Powell is coming to the St. Louis area. Powell, the former chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, will speak about the benefits of volunteerism at the Neighbor to Neighbor Volunteer Fair on Saturday, May 3, at Crestwood Plaza.

Rep. Richard Gephardt, D-3rd Dist. and Sen. Christopher "Kit" Bond, R-Mo., are hosting the fair to raise awareness about the power of volunteerism and to sign up new volunteers.

Gephardt told the *Journal* it is noteworthy that Powell also will serve as general chairman of the President's Summit for America's Future from April 27-29 in Philadelphia.

"It's important for him as a head of a national effort to try to transfer this in local efforts," Gephardt said.

Speaking of the bipartisan nature of the volunteer fair, Gephardt said, "I think volunteerism is not a partisan activity. It is not an ideological activity. Government can't do everything, and people have to be a part of helping their communities succeed."

At the volunteer fair, set for 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., numerous non-profit organizations will set up booths, educate the public about their work and recruit potential volunteers. Bond and Gephardt will be at the fair to greet organization members and encourage potential volunteers.

The time of Powell's remarks at the fair has not yet been determined.

Also on the morning of May 3, there will be three special volunteer projects at sites throughout the St. Louis area designed to showcase the power and results of volunteers working together.

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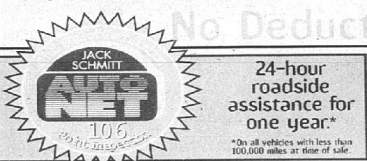


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